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Rent Registration Under Limit Law Starts in Ottawa

Forms for Landlords
Available in Holland
And Other Centers

Rent registration has started in Holland. It was announced in Grand Rapids by Area Rent Director T. J. Peters who said the registration is made mandatory by law with a maximum penalty of a year's imprisonment and a fine of \$5,000 for failure to do so.

All residential rents in Ottawa county must be reduced to the level of March 1, 1942, effective as of Dec. 1, 1942. Mr. Peters said, adding that under the maximum rent regulations which have been issued, landlords cannot accept nor can tenants pay more rent than that fixed as of March 1.

"This registration is a simple process," Mr. Peters said. "The blank registration statements have been made conveniently available. When it is filled out, all a landlord has to do is shake the carbon copies out, put all original copies in an envelope and mail them to the Area Rent Office, Ashton Building, Grand Rapids."

Forms for registering property may be obtained at Holland Chamber of Commerce office; the Jensen store, Jensen; A. J. De Weerd store, Hudsonville; Vollink Bros. store, Borculo; John De Jonge store and post office, Vriesland; and D. Van Bree drug store, Zeeland.

Kent and Ottawa counties came under these regulations at the same time but because of the rush of registration during December in Grand Rapids, there was not sufficient time or help to extend the registration to Ottawa county.

In view of the fact that the effective date was last Dec. 1 and there is only a short time available for registration, forms should be filled out and either returned to the store from where they were obtained or sent direct to the area rent office in Grand Rapids, Mr. Peters advised.

All landlords renting property used as dwellings must register. This applies to rooming houses, hotels and to the person who rents one room or more in his own house and to summer cottages. The only notable exception is that of a landlord who rents a farm to a farmer who devotes his time to farming. The landlord in this case is not required to register the property.

Because of the peculiar problems involved in each type of living accommodation, two separate maximum rent regulations have been issued, one covering ordinary housing accommodations like homes and apartments and another covering hotels and rooming houses.

The form statements for hotels, rooming houses and boarding houses and other places of transient abode are different from those issued for the registration of houses and apartments. Registration statements for houses and apartments are made out in triplicate; for hotels and rooming houses, in duplicate. All copies of both types of statements must be filed with the area rent office.

For a hotel, the proprietor's copy will be mailed back to him after it has been checked by the rent office. For a house or apartment, the landlord will receive his copy and the tenant's copy will be mailed to the tenant, after the checking. Copies of all registrations will be filed for record in the rent office.

If, when the tenant receives his copy of the landlord's registration statement, he disagrees with any of the facts contained in it, he has 15 days to state his disagreement on the reverse side of the form, and mail it to the rent office. If, however, he is satisfied with the landlord's statement, he merely keeps the copy of registration for reference.

The landlord is required to keep his copy after it is returned to him by the rent office, and show it to each new tenant. When there is a change in tenancy, the landlord must report the fact to the rent office within five days. There are special forms for such reports.

Must Register by Feb. 5 For Coffee Allotments

Institutional users of coffee have until Feb. 5 to register for their February allotment, the rationing office reminded today. The February allotment is 40 per cent of the September-October base. Institutional users registering after Feb. 5 will be penalized according to their tardiness.

Must Return Fuel Oil Stubs to Ration Board

The local war price and rationing board today requested users of fuel oil to return their stubs from which their fuel oil rationing coupons were detached to the board's office as soon as possible.

23 More of Holland Report for Army Service



Shown above are the 23 registrants who left Holland Monday noon for Fort Custer to report for army duty. They are (left to right): First row, George Henry Vander Ploeg, Harold Linwood Barr, Gerald Frederick De Weerd, Leonard Mulder, Robert William Wajahn, Dick Vander Wilk and Kenneth Herbert Looman; second row, John Edward Lehman, Alvin Arnold Lubbers, Allen Eugene Santora, John Henry Lappinga, Henry Veltkamp, Robert George Timmermans, Earl James Stekete, Robert Harris Scheerhorn, John Thomas Hietbrink; third row, William Beckman, Clarence Arena, Bernard Yonker, Warren Vander Ploeg, Paul Kenneth Wiersma, Wallace Vander Ploeg and Harold Ramaker.

Aid Given Polio Victims Is Cited

Residents of Ottawa
Urged to Contribute
So Help Can Continue

Most of the 54 cases of infantile paralysis, which were reported in Ottawa county during the past three years, are hospitalized at the present time, Dr. Ralph Ten Have of the county health department pointed out today in an appeal for funds now being raised in connection with President Roosevelt's birthday Saturday.

Seven persons were assisted in 1942 by the county chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, he said.

"The Kenny treatment is available to patients through the crippled children clinics in Grand Rapids," he continued. "It is the aim of the local chapter to assist all present, active cases by providing funds for physiotherapy and splints. This will require additional funds."

Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith is county chairman of this year's campaign as part of the national movement. Of all funds raised, 50 per cent is forwarded to the foundation for continued research in the prevention and treatment of infantile paralysis. The other 50 per cent is left in the local fund.

Mrs. Britain of Saugatuck Dies

Saugatuck, Jan. 28 Mrs. Ralph C. Brittain, 80, died in Washington, D. C., Sunday.

She was the widow of Capt. Brittain who died in October, 1905. Both were prominent residents of Saugatuck. She lived in Saugatuck after their marriage in 1887 but for the past 13 years made her home at the Bellevue hotel in Washington with her daughter.

Mrs. Brittain was a musician and had a beautiful contralto voice. She was prominent in musical circles. She was graduated from the Northwestern School of Music at Evanston, Ill., in 1882. She was a member of the Episcopal church of Saugatuck for many years and was the last charter member of the O. E. S. of Saugatuck. She was a member of the Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton chapter, D. A. R., of Holland.

Mrs. Brittain was born June 6, 1862, in Waukegan, Ill., to the late Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Spaulding.

Survivors are one daughter, Miss Julia Brittain of Washington, D. C.; and one son, Capt. Leonard Brittain of Saugatuck; one granddaughter, Mrs. Florence Dunlap of Chicago; one great-granddaughter, Catherine Brittain Dunlap; two nieces, Mrs. Charles Shuler and Miss Bernice Wilson, both of Allegan.

Dies for Country



Sgt. George Bruursema

War Call Affects 35 Hope Students

Active Duty Is Facing
Enlisted Reserves at
Close of Semester

Approximately 35 students of Hope college in the enlisted reserve corps, unassigned, will be affected by the order issued Monday by the war department, calling them to active duty at the end of the first semester, Prof. Bruce Raymond, armed services faculty advisor at the college, said Tuesday.

Dr. Raymond said the first semester at the college ends Saturday. No official orders have been received by him, the only information being from newspaper releases.

He expressed belief that induction into the army of the reserve corps will not be through the selective service board as the youths already are enlistees of the army. Dr. Raymond believed that the enlistees will be handled by direct orders in which they will be ordered to uniform and sent to other schools for specialized training.

According to a press dispatch, the program in general is being geared to a specialized program under which a number of colleges contracting with the war department will provide instruction with their own facilities and staffs to a total of about 150,000 young soldiers a year.

No final selection of colleges has been made, and contracts are yet to be signed, but the reservists called from college for induction in the army must complete the basic military training of 13 weeks before they are eligible for assignment to a college for additional instruction.

Directors of Club in Joint Meeting at G.H.

A joint meeting of directors of the Holland Fish and Game club and the North Ottawa Rod and Gun club was held Thursday night in the Eagle-Ottawa recreation hall in Grand Haven to discuss problems of conservation clubs.

The local delegation included Nead De Waard, president of the local club, George Tubergen and Locum Woldring, Holland and George Caball, Zeeland, director of the club and Conservation Officer Forest Lavy of Holland.

The two clubs went on record as being opposed to the passage of a bill, now pending in the state legislature, which would abolish the soil conservation program in Michigan. The Holland club adopted a motion at its annual meeting here Jan. 14 as being opposed to this legislation.

Both clubs agreed to appropriate money, the sum to be determined later, to be used in planting food patches on the newly acquired lands of the West Ottawa Soil Conservation district.

Following the meeting, an oyster fry was held with Louis Bottema and Bud Poel preparing the oysters.

Infant Dies at Home of Parents Near Drenthe

Zeeland, Jan. 28 (Special)—Janice K. Van Rhee, three-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Van Rhee who reside 11 miles south of Drenthe, died early on Friday. Besides the parents, she is survived by the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seinen of Zeeland and Mr. and Mrs. George J. Van Rhee of Drenthe; and the great grandfathers, John Bos of Zeeland and Johannes Van Rhee of Drenthe.

Need no Primary In Holland Twp.

Park, However, Will
Vote Because Three
Men Are Opposed

With incumbents of Holland township lacking opposition, the primary election will not be held in that township this year but a primary election will be held in Park township as three incumbents face opposition, it was announced by the clerks of the two townships.

Tuesday was the deadline for the filing of nominating petitions with the township clerks. Park township's primary will be held Monday, Feb. 15, and the spring election in both townships will be held Monday, April 5.

Incumbent officials seeking reelection in Holland township follow:

Supervisor, John Helder; clerk, Walter Vander Haar; treasurer, John H. Maat; justice of peace (full term), Peter Pyle; highway commissioner, Albert Kapenga; board of review, no candidate; constable (four to be elected), Adrian Veele.

The list of candidates for Park township officers follows: Supervisor, Dick Nieuwma (*); and George De Vries, clerk, (*); Stuelstra (*); and Henry Vandenberg, treasurer, Vernon Van Lente (*); and Gerrit Jalving, justice of peace, Gerrit J. Nevenzel (*); highway commissioner, Henry Lugers, Jr. (*); board of review, Peter Dykman (*); constable, no candidates. (*)—incumbents.

Sgt. Flieman, Wounded, Is In Serious Condition

Mr. and Mrs. John Flieman of Jensen park yesterday received a telegram containing additional news concerning their son, Sgt. John Flieman, Jr., who was previously reported wounded in the Southwest Pacific. The telegram dated Jan. 21, stated that Sgt. Flieman is seriously ill, the diagnosis being a ruptured gall bladder and general peritonitis.

Democrats Set Date For County Convention

Grand Haven, Jan. 28 (Special)—The Democratic county convention will be held Tuesday, Feb. 16 at 2 p.m. at the court house in Grand Haven when delegates to the state convention will be elected. The state convention will be held in Detroit Feb. 26.

Post-War Improvements to Provide Work in Holland Discussed at Meet

Post-war problems in Holland were considered at a joint luncheon meeting of common council's civic improvement committee and the civic committee of the Holland Chamber of Commerce Tuesday noon in the Warm Friend tavern. The meeting was arranged by Secretary-Manager E. P. Stephan of the Chamber of Commerce.

Henry Wilson, chairman of the chamber's committee who presided, emphasized the need for a community building for conventions, banquets and recreation.

Ald. Bruce Raymond told of progress in the development of the Park township airport. Charles R. Sligh, Jr., commander of the local CAP squadron, and William Blain, manager of the Holland Air service, added their views.

A lively discussion resulted on the problem but no definite action was taken. It was decided that another meeting should be held in the next few days.

Eighty-Three of Ottawa to Leave For Army Duty

Many of Near Holland
And Zeeland Included
In Group of Draftees

Grand Haven, Jan. 28—Eighty-three inductees, including nearly two score from near Holland and Zeeland, will leave Saturday for active army duty at Camp Grant, Ill., according to draft board No. 2.

Among the Ottawa county group which passed physical examinations in Kalamazoo Jan. 23 is Harold Boeve, son of Sheriff William Boeve. With him will be Alvin Jonker and Eugene Hale. The three are former Grand Haven high school football stars.

The list of registrants includes: Holland area—Cornelius De Koster, Preston Cecil Branden, John Vanden Bosch, Lester Marvin Timmer, Clifford Avison Ont-hank, Joe Knoll, Leonard Wilbur Jackson, Harold Van Slooten, Raymond James Rouwhorst, Ralph Blauwkamp, Vernon Cornelius Santora, Dick Van Kampen, Lester Bell, Benjamin Lawrence Bransen, Robert Andrew Bradford, Thomas Henry Cole, Jowan Gerald Sligh, Junior J. Sligh, James Minard Brewer, Merle Cook, Arthur John De Fouw, Henry Junior Wolff, Floyd Mast.

Zeeland—Louis Steenwyk, John Theodore Hoagland, Philip H. Buss, James Dionise, Herman Ten Harnsel, Jr., Allen Roger Van Kley, Hilbert Vanden Bosch, John J. Huyser, Clarence Johnson, Jerald Gebben, Clarence Plooster, Randall Marion Dekker, Andrew John Vander Woude, Donald Henry Welling, Garold Van Koe-vering.

West Olive—Raymond Arthur West, Herbert John Van Slooten, Coopersville—Vernon Millard Gates, John B. Veeman, Harold William Klatt, Kenneth Edward Saliers, Bert Drooger, Jr., Hudsonville—Albertus Ten Harnsel, Marvin Claus Behrens, Francis Vernon Reister.

Grandville—Gerald Zamstra, Alvin Henry Beck.

Jenison—Theodore Charles Mackus, Donald Hoek, Marne—James Arthur Norton, Conklin—Robert John Kuempel.

Youth Injured When He Slides Into Car Fender

Joseph Amy, 16, 61 East Eighth St., suffered a bruised left shoulder about 10:30 p.m. when he slid into the left rear fender of the car of Gerrit J. Alderink, Sr., 48, of Grand Rapids, while running across Eighth St. opposite Wade's drug store, 54 East Eighth St.

Alderink was driving east on Eighth St. and Amy was crossing from the north to the south side of the street. Amy told police that he did not see the approaching car when he started to run across the street and that when he tried to stop he skidded on the ice.

Police listed Mrs. Alderink, Mr. and Mrs. William Alderink, Grand Rapids, occupants of the car, and Douglas Arnold, 306 West 14th St., as witnesses.

Asks for Contributions For Paralysis Fund

Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith who is serving as county chairman of the drive to raise funds for the National Infantile Paralysis foundation in connection with the birthday anniversary of President Roosevelt today appealed for private contributions from individuals, associations, manufacturers and organizations.

He said checks or contributions may be mailed or taken to his office in the city hall. He also urged citizens to drop their money in the collection boxes in business places.

George Bruursema Loses Life in New Guinea Battle

Michigan CAP Officer to Speak in City on Monday

Capt. Squire D. Eurich, executive officer of Michigan wing 63 of the civil air patrol, will address the Holland Exchange club at its luncheon meeting Monday noon in the Warm Friend tavern. It was announced today.

Special guests of the club will be executive officers of the local CAP squadron. Capt. Eurich will be introduced by Charles R. Sligh, Jr., commander of the local CAP squadron.

The state CAP officer is scheduled to arrive in Holland Sunday and will be a dinner and overnight guest at the Sligh home in Virginia park. While here he also will inspect the local squadron.

Capt. Eurich will speak on civil air patrol activities and his talk will be of an educational nature as many persons are asking "What is the CAP?"

Only 39 years old, he is a grandfather and has been flying for more than 20 years. He formerly was a test pilot and is an inspector for the state board of aeronautics. He has been a member of the Michigan wing of the CAP and a staff officer since its inauguration. He has been on flying duty over the Gulf of Mexico from the Michigan wing base along the Gulf.

The local CAP squadron is wondering whether Capt. Eurich will reveal during his visit in Holland whether one of the 28 "emergency" stations to be set up throughout the state will be established at the Park township airport.

Capt. Eurich recently told members of the Michigan defense council that the 3,000 civil air patrol flyers who in 1942 spent nearly a million dollars of their own money in volunteer flying for the government are organizing to provide a three-man crew for 24-hour duty at each of the 28 specially designated airports as a precaution against enemy air raids.

"In addition to maintaining a courier service for war needs during time of raids," Capt. Eurich said, "the crews would be prepared to strew the fields with debris at a minute's notice to prevent enemy planes from landing. Under present conditions the enemy could land and refuel at our own tanks."

Capt. Eurich explained that each emergency station would include a pilot, an observer and a guard in its crew. A CAP plane would be held in readiness, loaded with blood plasma, first aid supplies, etc., for whatever service was needed, he said. The men would all be volunteers on their own time and the planes furnished at their own expense.

The Michigan wing of the CAP is leading the nation, Capt. Eurich told members of the council. "During 1942 our pilots rolled up a total of 146,787 flying hours and traveled 11,742,960 miles in the service of the nation. The total cost amounted to nearly a million dollars or about \$325 per man, all of which was paid from the pockets of the fliers."

Loses Left Foot In G.H. Accident

Grand Haven, Jan. 28 (Special)—While playing on a large snow hill on Washington St. at Seventh St. Sunday about 7 p.m., Barbara Hellenga, seven-year-old daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Albert Hellenga, suffered the loss of her left foot near the ankle and the right foot sustained several small fractures when she was run over by a locomotive.

According to the attending physician, the left leg was amputated between the ankle and the knee. The child, who was sliding on her feet down the large snow bank on the west side of the railroad tracks, slid underneath the locomotive of a southbound freight train.

Part of the engine had already passed when she slid under it. As far as could be determined by city police, the child was playing alone.

The Rev. Hellenga is pastor of the Second Reformed church.

Brief Illness Is Fatal To John Hiddinga, 76

John Hiddinga, 76, who has resided on the Northside for the past 35 years, died Monday night in the infirmary at Eastmanville after a brief illness. He is survived by four sons, John of Detroit, Leo of route 4, Frank of Chicago, and Peter of Eastmanville; and five grandchildren.

The funeral will be held Thursday at 1:30 p.m. in the Nibbelink-Notter funeral chapel, with burial in Pilgrim Home cemetery. Friends may call at the chapel Wednesday evening.



Capt. Squire D. Eurich

Ottawan Is Fined On Butter Charge

Assault and Speeding
Cases Also Disposed
Of in Grand Haven

Grand Haven, Jan. 28 (Special)—John Vander Heide, 81, Hudsonville, paid a \$20 fine and costs of \$4.30 in Justice Erwin Wednesday on a charge of using unsanitary milk and cream in making butter. Complaint was made by Ralph Moore, state health inspector.

Miles Avery, 38, Chester township, who had completed serving a 15-day jail sentence Jan. 26 for making a fictitious report to officers of the commission of a crime, was arrested by the sheriff's department Wednesday on a charge of assault and battery on his wife, Mrs. Miles. He was sentenced to serve 15 days in jail by Justice Erwin and ordered to report to the justice monthly during a one-year probationary period.

Merle Francis Hesselsweet, 43, New Era, paid \$10 fine and \$3.35 costs to Justice Erwin Wednesday on a charge of speeding. He is alleged to have driven 45 miles per hour on US-16 in Polkton township Wednesday.

Robert W. Grace, 49, route 1, Muskegon Heights, paid \$10 fine and \$3.35 costs to Justice Erwin on a charge of speeding. He is alleged to have been driving 45 miles per hour on US-16 in Polkton township.

Fred Assink, 29, Muskegon, paid \$10 fine and \$4.90 costs to Justice Erwin on a charge of speeding. He is alleged to have been driving 50 miles per hour in Polkton township.

The arrests were made by the sheriff's department. Otto Ade, Conklin, pleaded guilty before Justice Erwin Wednesday on a charge of failing to have his car under control and paid \$5 fine and \$1 costs. Ade, issued a summons by state police, is alleged to have skidded his car about 30 or 40 feet and crashed into a gasoline passenger train of the G. R. & I. which operates between Grand Rapids and Muskegon last Tuesday. His car suffered about \$300 damages. He claimed the road approaching the tracks was not sandbed.

Arnold Bartels, 22, Muskegon Heights, paid \$10 fine and \$1 costs on a charge of speeding Tuesday. The sheriff's department which made the arrest alleges he was driving 55 miles per hour on US-31 in Holland township.

Plead Guilty To Selling Beer To Minor Youth

Peter Botis, 41, route 4, Holland, pleaded guilty to a charge of selling beer to a minor on arraignment Tuesday afternoon before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith who assessed a \$50 fine and costs of \$4.15 which Botis paid. In a complaint sworn to by Deputy Sheriff Edward Brouwer, Botis was charged with selling 18 bottles of beer to a minor. Officials said the charge resulted from their investigation into a number of drinking parties which were attended by youthful boys and girls. Already four youths have faced prosecution.

21-DEGREE RISE

A rise of 21 degrees since 8 a.m. today was noted in the official temperature at the Fifth St. station at 1:30 p.m. At 8 a.m. it was 1 degree above zero, at 11 a.m. it was 13 and at 1:30 p.m. it was 22. Weather predictions were for not so cold tonight.

Dies Day After His Brother Is Wounded In Fight With Japs

Another war casualty was added today to Holland's list of war dead in the New Guinea area with the death last Dec. 6 of Sgt. George Bruursema, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bruursema, 36 East 16th St.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruursema received a telegram at 5:40 p.m. Sunday from Maj. Gen. J. A. Uilo, adjutant general at Washington, D.C., which advised them their son had been "killed in action in defense of this country."

Sgt. Bruursema is the third Holland youth to become a victim of the fighting in the New Guinea sector. Pvt. John H. Van Til, 23, son of Mrs. Grace Van Oort, 8 River Ave., was killed in action Nov. 28, and Pvt. Henry Wehrmeyer, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Wehrmeyer, 10 West Sixth St., was killed in action Dec. 9.

Sgt. Bruursema's death occurred the day after his brother, Corp. Marinus Bruursema, had been slightly wounded Dec. 5 while fighting on New Guinea. Word of his being wounded was received by his parents last Dec. 15.

Members of the former local national guard company, the two brothers left Holland in October, 1940, for training in Louisiana before the company left for Australia from where it was transferred to New Guinea.

Sgt. Bruursema also has another brother, Elmer Bruursema, who is serving with the U. S. marine corps, and a brother-in-law, Leslie Wiersma, who is in the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruursema received their last letter from their son Nov. 23 in which he wrote that he was "fine." They received a letter from Marinus Bruursema last week in which he wrote that he had not seen his brother. He had wanted to give him some snapshots which the family had sent to him.

Marinus is confined in a New Guinea hospital and is improving from his wounds, according to his letter to his parents. The two brothers apparently were together up to the time that Marinus was wounded.

Sgt. Bruursema was born in Byron Center Feb. 23, 1921. He received his education at the Pine Creek and Holland schools. The family moved to Holland about 15 years ago. Before the national guard company left here, George was employed at the H. J. Heinz Co. plant.

The first member of Immanuel church to leave for military service, his name heads the church's war honor roll.

Besides the parents and two brothers, he is survived by two other brothers, Albert Bruursema, route 1, Holland and Charles, at home; three sisters, Mrs. A. Kibby, route 4, Holland, and Mrs. Leslie Wiersma and Miss Wilma Bruursema, at home.

Frank Cech Dies at G.H. After Six Weeks' Illness

Grand Haven, Jan. 28 (Special)—Frank Cech, 79, died at 2:30 a.m. Tuesday in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Josephine Paterek, 1305 Pennoyer Ave., after an illness of about six weeks.

He was born in Austria Aug. 13, 1863, and for the past 30 years had farmed in Grand Haven township and was well known among the residents of that community. He came to this country in 1898 from Lyback, Austria, where he was a cabinet maker and followed this trade on arriving in Chicago.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Josephine Cech; three sons, Joe and Louis, both of Grand Haven, and Frank of Chicago; three daughters, Mrs. Paterek and Mrs. Ethel Kristan, both of Grand Haven and Mrs. Alice Hammond of Chicago; 14 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; four brothers in Austria.

Lieutenant Heneveld Pays Mother Brief Visit

Lieut. George Heneveld, Jr., an instructor at George field, Ill., "flew in" Tuesday to have lunch with his mother, Mrs. George Heneveld, Sr., of Virginia park. He called his mother by long distance telephone Monday night to advise her to be on the lookout for him about noon Tuesday as he would fly over her home. Two planes, carrying two other lieutenants and a sergeant, comprised the party.

After flying over the family home and Holland, they continued on to Grand Rapids where they landed. A young son of Mrs. Heneveld's, Lloyd Heneveld, met them there and drove Lieut. Heneveld and the other two lieutenants to Holland.

Also present for the luncheon engagement was Mrs. Heneveld's daughter, Mrs. Blaine Timmer of Central park. The group returned to Grand Rapids about 3:15 p.m. and about 4:30 p.m. flew over the Heneveld home en route back to George field.

Grand Rapids Minister Talks to Woman's Club

In an outspoken and thought-provoking address on "The World Today," Dr. Lester A. Kilpatrick of Grand Rapids told members of the Woman's Literary club Tuesday afternoon that "we and our representatives in congress have surrendered certain rights and privileges and that we are now nearer to national socialism than we have ever been before," adding that under the guise of war, the movement is now growing rapidly.

"It is easier to sign away our rights than to get them back again," the speaker declared. "We are very close to the surrender of state rights—in the interest of the war effort of course—and close to losing our independently controlled educational institutions."

Dr. Kilpatrick suggested that in considering the "world of today," it is important first to "find out where we are." Policies and parties have changed during the past year, he said, and the political party which was originally formed to give rights to the individual is now working towards centralized government.

Continuing with his discussion of present day affairs, Dr. Kilpatrick stated that with "boys on 55 or 60 fronts, this is a real global war. The trouble is," he said, "that politics and war bring queer bedfellows." Great Britain and France let Germany violate the Versailles treaty and re-arm to fight Russia "so they wouldn't have to," and now Britain and the United States are closely allied with Russia. The speaker was of the opinion that when this war is over "we will have to fight Russia, for she will take a prominent place at the peace table, and we won't like it."

"Always before in war this country's adversaries have had the same basic religious beliefs, the same general idea of God, humanitarianism, morality, and business. Russia, Germany, Japan all have different conceptions of these principles," the speaker explained.

"The Christian church has never had the opportunity it has now. The only bond holding the world together this afternoon is the bond of our common faith," said the speaker. "In the days ahead it will be much easier to change our standards of thinking than the standards of living. The standards of thinking are gradually sinking, for in war times truth is the first casualty, morals, the next."

Dr. Kilpatrick concluded by expressing his tremendous faith in the American people and his praise for the heroism of the American soldier. "What we owe to the boys who give their lives," is to make America the kind of place they will be proud and happy to come back to, he said.

Mrs. George A. Pelgrim presided at the meeting. Mrs. L. W. Lamb of the public affairs committee presented a petition urging the elimination of strikes and the continued work of labor towards the war effort. It was voted to send the petition in behalf of the club to Michigan senators and War Manpower Commissioner Paul V. McNutt.

Mrs. C. M. Selby of the local Red Cross production department thanked the club for the gift of \$100 which is to be used for the filling of "service kits," for which the local chapter now has a quota of 800. She also explained the nature and contents of the kits.

Plans for next week's clubhouse birthday celebration were announced. A play will be presented by the drama group, Mrs. Bruce Van Leuwen, director, and lee will be served by the board of directors and the educational committee. Contributions for the Kate Garrod Post scholarship fund will be received.

Mrs. Pelgrim announced the nominating committee, Mrs. J. D. French, chairman, Mrs. George E. Kollen, Mrs. Marius Mulder, Mrs. E. V. Hartman, Mrs. Katharine Post, Mrs. Alvin Bos and Mrs. Reemer Boersma.

Personals

(From Wednesday's Sentinel) Movies will be shown in the Northshore community hall on Friday at 7:45 p.m.

Miss Ruth Franks, 19 West 31st St., has returned from Blodgett hospital. Grand Rapids, where she was confined because of an abscess.

Second Lieut. Annetta Brandama, ANC, is spending a five day furlough with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John De Koster, 132 West 17th St. She is stationed at the army air school in Chicago. She has been in service for about six months.

Mrs. Ernest Post, 78 East 23rd St., and son, Stuart, are leaving for Waco, Tex., for an extended visit with Miss Martha Barkema and her mother, Mrs. John Barkema. Miss Barkema is teacher of voice at the Baylor university.

Marvin Fish, third class fireman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fish of Bauer, is on a weeks' leave. He received his basic training at Great Lakes, Ill., and is expected to report at Boston, Mass., on Thursday. Sunday his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bosma, West 21st St., entertained Marvin and his parents at a dinner.

Joanne Claire is the name of the daughter born Jan. 18, to Mr.

and Mrs. Bernard Kuipers of Grand Rapids in Blodgett Memorial hospital. Mrs. Kuipers is the former Henrietta Vogelzang of Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnard Poppema are moving today from 81 East 17th St., to 156 East 18th St. Rainbow initiation will be held Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the hall over Miller-Jones store.

A daughter, Margery Hope, was born early today in Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Dalem, 44 East 26th St.

R. E. Irwin, vice-president of the American Hotels Corp. and manager of the Secor hotel at Toledo, O., was in Holland Monday and Tuesday to make a routine inspection of the Warm Friend tavern which is operated by the American Hotels Corp.

The Rev. E. W. Koeppe, recently returned missionary from China, will be guest speaker at a meeting of the ladies and men's Adult Bible classes, Sunday school teachers and officers of the Maple Ave. Christian Reformed church at the parish house Thursday night.

Capt. Paul Pearson, 154 West 14th St., returned home last night from Blodgett hospital, Grand Rapids, where he submitted to a minor operation. Mrs. Pearson accompanied him.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Beelman of Los Angeles, Calif., were week-end visitors of Mrs. Thad Taft. Mrs. Beelman and Mrs. Taft are sisters.

Richard H. Miner, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miner of Virginia park, arrived home last night on a nine day leave after completing his basic training at Great Lakes, Ill. Upon his return he will be sent to service school.

Missioner Tells Perils in Japan

The Rev. Edwin J. Koeppe, missionary from South China, told the Holland Lions club Tuesday of his experiences with the Japanese.

A missionary in China for 23 years, he stated that he has experienced dive bombing as well as straight bombing attacks, machine gunning and the trials of being in a detention camp.

While in the detention camp he received no physical violence but, he stated, he has found by careful investigation that most of the stories of atrocities are true.

China, he said, has been able to withstand the attacks of Japan for three reasons: The people have united in a common front against the Japanese; the new life movement has contributed greatly to the Chinese strength; and China has experienced 100 years of Christian missions.

In the Japanese system of conquest, he explained, the army and navy handle all military matters. The consular branch deals with public relations, the liaison division with business matters and the puppet government handles the dirty work among the natives.

He concluded by saying the only hope for a lasting peace lies in Christian principles.

The Rev. Lawrence Veltman of Montello Park was a guest of the club. Jerry Houting led the song service.

Olive Center

(From Wednesday's Sentinel) Local residents are "digging out" from the results of the severe blizzard which came last week. Mail service was curtailed and farmers resorted to horses and sleighs to haul provisions.

Pvt. Willis Knoll has been transferred from Camp Grant to Keesler Field in Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thayer of Croton spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Banks recently.

Mrs. William Felman quietly celebrated her 86th birthday anniversary on Jan. 21. She is recovering slowly from her recent illness and is able to sit up a portion of each day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Lievense have received a number of letters from their son, Corp. Nelson Lievense, who is ill with malaria fever. His parents received a telegram from the War Dept. several weeks ago stating that Corp. Lievense had been seriously wounded but that this seems to be incorrect.

Gerrit Vanden Bosch was taken to the hospital in Zeeland for the removal of his appendix Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wedevan and children spent last Monday in Grand Rapids.

Raymond Rowhorst, Floyd Maat and Benj. Brandson successfully passed their examinations in Kalamazoo Saturday and are leaving for Camp Grant on Saturday Jan. 30. All three of these young men are the second sons in their respective families to enter the service.

Mrs. Bert Vander Zwaag and Harold Vander Zwaag spent a day in Grand Haven recently where they visited relatives.

DIVORCE GRANTED

Grand Haven, Jan. 28 (Special)—A divorce decree has been filed in Circuit Court awarding a decree of divorce to Inez Darlene Hoffman from Nicholas J. Hoffman, Jr., both of Holland. A 16-year-old daughter was given permission to reside with either her father or mother, alternating her residence if she desired.

Life's supreme art is walking with God.

Serving Under the Stars and Stripes



Pfc. Raymond De Vries, son of Mr. and Mrs. John De Vries.

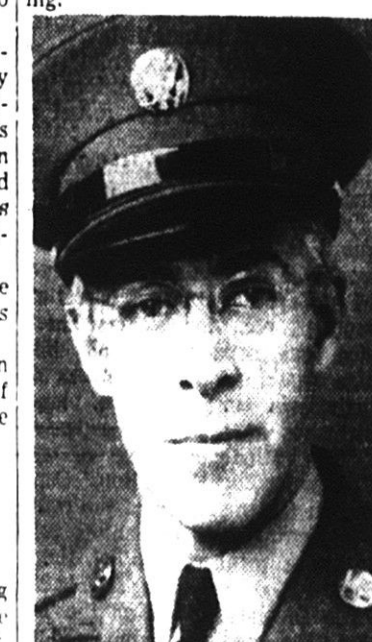
303 South Maple, Zeeland, was born in Zeeland on Dec. 26, 1919 and was graduated from Zeeland High school. He was drafted into army service on Oct. 15, 1940, and was at Fort Riley, Kans. in the Ninth armored division before being sent to Fort Harrison, Ind., where he is in the medical corps attending a medical school. He was married in December to Miss Ruth Kow who is making her home in Holland. He also has a brother, Jerard, who was inducted into the army on Dec. 30. Before his induction he was employed by General Motors, Grand Rapids.

Pfc. Dale McWilliams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McWilliams, is serving in the U. S. army military police division. He is now stationed in Long Beach, Calif. He was born in Holland on Nov. 13, 1920 and attended Holland High school. Before entering service he was employed at Holland Hitch. He has been stationed at Fort Custer and Fort Ord, Calif., where he received his basic training.



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Asks Speed on Farm Requests

Grand Haven, Jan. 28 (UP)—Glenn E. Taylor, chairman of the farm machinery rationing committee, says that all applications for farm machinery should be in the office in the near future so that the committee will have all of them to consider when it meets March 1.

The number of machines for Ottawa county are as follows: corn binder (homedrawn) 3, grain drill 2, manure spreader 7, two-horse plows 1, tractor plows 14, spring tooth drag 7, disk harrows 16, riding cultivators 1, tractor cultivators 17, tractors 20, milking machines 51, hay loaders 12, corn pickers 2.

There are certain requirements as to acreage, loads, or hours, for each machine, and the applicant must sign and agree that he will rent out or do custom work with the tool if it is needed in his community.

SUNDAY DINNER Suggestions

ALTHOUGH many of the frills which have seemed so inseparable a part of Sunday dinner will, of necessity, be missing for the duration, meals can still be made a special event for the family.

One of the best ways to do this is to make it a time of good conversation and gaiety. Another is to give the various dishes you serve as much eye appeal as possible. Make sure that the centerpiece of fruit or flowers is fresh and attractive; use the good china and silverware. In other words, make your Sunday dinner the meal of the week which no member of the family wants to miss.

In its weekly market report for benefit of American homemakers, the lists these vegetables as the best buys—green beans, cabbage, Hubbard squash, collard and other greens, lettuce, mushrooms, rutabagas, onions, celery and potatoes. Rhubarb is in market and will add a touch of Spring to the menu and Eastern apples and Florida oranges are still attractively priced.

There is a little more beef available and fryers and broilers are the best buys in poultry.

The following menus may help you plan your Sunday dinner:

Low Cost Dinner
Stuffed Breast of Lamb
Scalloped Potatoes
Mashed Yellow Turnip
Whole Wheat Bread
Coleslaw
Apple Betty
Hot Tea

Medium Cost Dinner
Pot Roast of Beef with Carrots and Onions
Whipped Potatoes
Whole Wheat Rolls
Grapefruit and Cheese Salad
Custard Pie
Hot Tea

Very Special Dinner
Celery Stuffed with Peanut Butter
Fried Chicken
Scalloped Potatoes
Broccoli with Lemon Butter
Hot Rolls
Avocado and Grape Salad
Cranberry Tarts
Hot Tea

Overisel
(From Wednesday's Sentinel) Miss Marion Mulder, who is attending Western Michigan College of Education in Kalamazoo, was recently elected vice-president of the Classical club, a society fostering the interest of Latin on the campus.

Miss Dorothy Miersma of East Saugatuck was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Kollen.

Dr. H. W. Pyle had charge of the Christian Endeavor society meeting. The topic was "What Does God Want Us to Do?"

Last week Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Immmk and boys, Gene, Lloyd and Earl were entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Justin Schipper. The occasion was the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Immmk and Mrs. Schipper.

The Girls League for Service met Saturday evening. The meeting was in the form of a preview of the meetings which will be held during the year and was in charge of the executive committee.

The Rev. and Mrs. Harold Leestma of Muskegon spent a part of their week's vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Voorhorst.

The subject for the prayer meeting on Thursday evening was "Christ's Boundless Compassion." Harold Kronmeyer was the leader.

Last week Thursday afternoon, Jan. 14, Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Pyle entertained at the parsonage the parents of the boys in the service of the country for a fellowship gathering. Pvt. Jason Hoffman, who is home on furlough, was also a guest.

County Republicans Arrange Convention

Grand Haven Jan. 28 (Special)—The county convention at the court house in Grand Haven Wednesday, Feb. 9, at 2 p.m.

At this convention, a school commissioner will be nominated. The convention also will elect 19 delegates to the state convention to be held in Detroit Feb. 19 at 11 a.m.

Delegates elected as county delegates last fall will serve as delegates to the county spring convention, Ottawa county Republicans will convene.

Sometimes wisdom does enter the minds of man by way of wounds that cut deep into him—Thomas Merryweather.

High School Girls Are Entertained by AAUW

With emphasis on the need of "education for victory," the various fields of training open to young women high school graduates was set forth Thursday afternoon at a vocational tea arranged by Holland branch, American Association of University Women in the Woman's Literary club. Sophomore, junior and senior girls of Holland high school and Christian high school were guests.

Miss Ruby Calvert, A.A.U.W. education chairman, presided. She welcomed the guests and explained that the purpose of the event was to guide the girls in their choice of vocation. Miss Calvert also introduced several speakers who set forth the opportunities for training in the war effort and the peace that is to follow.

Miss Hester Pellegrom, teacher in Holland schools, emphasized the need for trained workers in commercial subjects and told of the necessary preparation in that field.

Edward Donovan, head of the local vocational school which is owned by the U.S. government and operate under state supervision, told of the training that women may receive in the school to fit themselves for war jobs in factories. He suggested that although women are needed in the war effort, such work should be considered more or less temporary and not a "career" in peace time.

Home economics training as a background for a great variety of professions and activities was stressed by Miss Lavina Cappon, head of the Home Economics department of Holland high school. She also told what the college trained person in home economics can do in the war effort and as a more efficient home maker in peace time.

Miss Evelyn Steketee of Holland high school outlined the various military services open to women, and Miss Hazel De Meyer, Holland high school librarian, talked on the teaching profession, its necessary training, qualifications, and requirements, and the various types of certificates to be obtained.

Miss Elizabeth Lichty, Hope college dean of women and head of the Romance Languages department told of the need for professional training in the war effort and the peace to follow, and mentioned the many fields open to women who are college trained.

Following the series of talks, tea was served from an attractively appointed table with Miss Evelyn Steketee, vice-president of the branch, and Mrs. Warren S. Merriam, first vice-president of the Michigan A.A.U.W., pouring. Opportunity was given the girls to discuss various schools and professions with members of the branch.

Fine Concert Is Given By Holland High Band

An enthusiastic audience heard a stellar concert by the Holland high school band in the school auditorium Thursday night, purchasing nearly \$95 worth of war stamps and bonds in an admission feature which swelled the school quota to that extent. Conducted by Eugene F. Heeter, the band gave a fine performance of an interesting program.

The concert opened with the impressive "presentation of colors" and a stirring medley of patriotic airs as prelude to the National Anthem.

An unusual and effective feature of the program was the violin solo by Jeffery Wiersum, Holland high senior, which was played with accompaniment by the band. The number, "Cubana," by Bennett, modern in mood, was well suited to the seldom heard combination of band and strings.

Of the band selections, especially pleasing was the number, "The Voice of Freedom," adapted from Rubinstein's popular "Kam-menoi-Ostrow," by Cailliet, and the difficult "El Relicario," (Paso Doble) by Padilla. Roy Zwemer played the bells which were featured in "Bells Across the Meadows."

During the performance, Mr. Heeter was presented with a gift of books from members of the band, with Don Ihmman making the presentation.

Washington PTA Has Forum Discussion

Washington school P. T. A. held its January meeting Tuesday evening in the school gymnasium. Devotions were led by Dr. John R. Mulder. The audience was highly pleased with Miss Marjorie Brouwer's rendition of two vocal numbers, "My Hero" and "I Love Life." Jerry Houting, with Miss Margaret Van Vyven at the piano, led the group in a rousing community sing.

Mrs. Kenneth De Pree, who was in charge of arrangements for the evening's program, led the open forum in which questions concerning the health program of the schools, fire-drills, the instrumental music instruction of the schools, defense stamp buying, after school fights, the "don't like school" child, mid-term promotions, and similar subjects were answered by Miss Carolyn Hawes, Prin. J. J. Riemensma of Holland high school, Dr. E. E. Fell, and Miss Ruth Messer.

Refreshments were served by

Mrs. Dick H. Vande Bunte and her committee at the close of the meeting.

Fahocha Class Has Pot Luck Supper

Members of the Fahocha Sunday school class of First Methodist church had a potluck supper Monday at the home of Miss Ruth Gunn on the Waverly road. Assisting the hostess with the serving were Julia Myrick, Grace Poppema, Edith Lindsay and Dorothy Lavoy.

New officers are president, Emily Shaffer; vice president, Julia Myrick; secretary, Iris Van Oosterhout; treasurer, Doris Zimmerman. Installation services were in charge of Mrs. W. G. Flowerday. Following installation Mrs. Nina Daughterty reviewed the book "The Days of Ophelia" by Gertrude Diamond.

Others attending were Florence Andringa, Joan Dyke, Carol Fairbanks, Barbara Greenwood, Ruth Lindsay, Louise Lugers, Thelma Roberts, Francis Teal, Marjorie Van Huis, Leona Vande Vusse, Barbara Wheaton, Christine Mierboer, Dorothy Fox, Marjorie Smeenge and Betty Veeder.

Gerard Cook Given Farewell Party

A group of relatives and friends called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook Tuesday night to honor Gerard Earl Cook who has received his call to report in Detroit tonight to go to Miami, Fla., for his training in the air corps. He enlisted Oct. 2.

Says Top-Heavy War Aid Program Must Be Changed

Hoffman Asserts That Draft Must Be Altered To Help Farm Needs

Washington, Jan. 28 — Cong. Clare E. Hoffman of Allegan, Mich., said last week that if the administration does not act without delay to correct the "top-heavy" structure resulting from its world-wide war aid program congress will rewrite the selective service act to provide relief for farmers.

He explained: "For months, some of us have tried to convince this administration that it was trying to go to too many places too far away too quickly; that it was trying, at the same time, to do too many things in too big a way. For example, the administration proposed to fight a war on every continent, on every sea, to conquer every land, establish for every nation a form of government prescribed by it. We were to furnish munitions of war for Britain, Russia and all others who were fighting our enemies. At the same time, we were to feed all the people everywhere in the world.

"Having those grandiose things in mind, the administration failed to realize that the foundation here at home must be broad and secure and, above all, maintained. To get an army of 10,000,000 men—and a million and a half are already across—those who produced our food were called from the farms to the factories and into the armed forces in such large numbers that our whole war effort now threatens to break down because it is top-heavy.

"Because those who have called attention to the unsoundness of the procedure were brushed aside. This week, the senate agriculture committee called before it. Manpower Chairman McNutt, Secretary of Agriculture Wickard, Selective Service Director Major General Hershey, and here are just a few of the things those three gentlemen were told by Democratic senators:

"Senator Wheeler (Montana) said an armed force of 10,000,000 men is 'going to break down the morale of the people. You should get out in the country and listen to what the people are saying. If you are going to stop production of food, you will have to make provision to care for the women and children left on the farms. What you are doing is that you are wiping out the family farm in this country.'

"Committee members asked: 'What in the name of God are we going to do with an armed force of 10,000,000 men? Why not equip Russians, Chinese and others with the best of weapons and let them fight it out on their own home ground?' Said Senator Ellender (Louisiana), 'Give them the tools was the cry before we got into the war.'

"Senator Bankhead (Alabama): 'If you are going to have an armed force of 10,000,000 men, how are you going to feed them and send food to Britain, China, Russia and Australia and, at the same time, draft farm boys?'

"Senator Russell (Georgia) said the formula was 'forcing Georgia farmers to sell out or just go out of business.'

"All of which is more evidence that this administration has bungled the whole job. Like a child playing with its first set of building blocks, in spite of protests, it erected a top-heavy structure, which now threatens to topple and take us with it.

"Men, munitions and food are the three pillars under the war effort. The administration has pulled the men out from under food production, sent them to the army or into the factories, and now finds itself trying to set on a two-legged stool.

"As the senators gave the 'Big Three,' McNutt Wickard and Hershey, to understand, a little common sense has got to be injected into the procedure."

Learn Son Is Recovering From Accident Injuries

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schiebach, route 4, Holland, have received a letter from their son, Steamfitter, third class, Walter Irvin Schiebach, 24, who enlisted in the U. S. navy nine months ago, in which he wrote that he is recovering from injuries suffered in a bus accident near the naval base at Portsmouth, Va.

Seriously injured at the time, Schiebach is still confined in a naval hospital, but is able to be up and about.

The accident involved a bus and a truck, causing the truck to go into a ditch. Several passengers were killed and others were injured.

Anniversary Occasion For Surprise Party

A group of relatives surprised Mr. and Mrs. Milo Vork, route 6, Wednesday, Jan. 20, in honor of their 30th wedding anniversary. Games were played and prizes awarded to Clarence Greengood, Harry Vork and Mrs. H. Arens. The honored couple was presented with a gift.

Invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Bartels, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vork, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Greengood, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walkey, Mr. and Mrs. John Van Dyke, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harold Arens, Mr. and Mrs. John Menken, Mr. and Mrs. George Vork and Mr. and Mrs. G. Alena.

Texas Wedding Unites Local Couple



Sgt. and Mrs. Bernard R. Shashaguy were caught by the cameraman following their marriage Jan. 16 in El Paso, Texas. The bride is the former Beatrice Bekken of Holland, and the groom is with the U. S. army air forces.

Aid to Wildlife Included In Ottawa Soil Program

Grand Haven, Jan. 28 (Special) —As wildlife conservation is a definite part of the West Ottawa Soil Conservation district's program, establishment of wildlife food patches throughout Ottawa county to provide food and cover for wild game is contemplated.

The West Ottawa district was established in 1938 and is making an organized effort to prevent soil erosion by proper land use and the use of soil conservation practices. The district includes 215,000 acres in 11 of the 17 townships of the county.

District directors are Hunter Hering, chairman, Clarence Reenders, Albert Stegenga, Frank Hendrych and Frank Garbrecht. District technicians are R. E. Briola and L. C. Ruch.

An important part of the district program is the reforestation of about 50,000 acres of poor sandy land in the western part of the district which have almost no value for agricultural purposes. Almost 7,000,000 trees have been planted on approximately 6,000 acres. Also 400,000 shrubs for wildlife food and protection have been planted.

To help furnish the 50,000,000 or more trees needed and at a cost farmers are able to pay a district nursery was established. This nursery, which has an annual production of 2,000,000 pine and spruce trees, is located at West Olney. Frank Garbrecht is nursery manager.

To facilitate the program on this type of land the soil conservation service of the United States department of agriculture purchased 6,200 acres in Port Sheldon, Park, Grand Haven and Spring Lake townships. The lands purchased were selected by the district directors and are those where the development job was too great for the individual owner. Much of the land consists of blow sand areas, devoid of vegetation, and in many cases constitutes a menace to neighboring areas of good land capable of producing farm crops. Most of the land was held by absentee owners.

The necessary development work such as tree planting and sand blow stabilization will be done by the soil conservation service. Plans are now being made to lease the land to the district for management purposes.

One thousand, five hundred and sixty acres of similar lands are already controlled by the district. These are tax reverted lands which were leased to the district by Ottawa county in 1940. Three hundred and fifty-one thousand trees have been planted on this land to date. Seventy acres of active sand blow areas have been stabilized. Two and one-half miles of fire lanes have been cut in existing woods.

It is not contemplated that this land will be planted solidly to trees. Scattered areas, not subject to erosion, will be left as recreational and wildlife encouraging areas. It is felt that there is an excellent opportunity for the sportsmen of Ottawa county, working through their sportsman clubs, to aid the district in developing this land to improve hunting in the county. These lands will be available to the public for recreation and hunting and will be so designated by signs soon to be erected. Any program of wildlife conservation on this public land will fit in with the program already being carried on by individual farmers.

It was pointed out by Mr. Ruch that food and cover are necessary for wildlife. There is some cover in the form of woods and brush on the lands controlled by the district and more is being supplied through the large tree planting program. The limiting factor in non-agricultural areas such as these is food.

Organizations such as the Holland Fish and Game club could be of great service in establishing food patches. These patches should be scattered throughout the area and should range from one-fourth to one-half acre in size. It is better to have many small areas than one or two large ones. Crops which are known as good wildlife feed, such as buckwheat, millet, soybeans and corn should be seeded. These food patches should be located near suitable cover. The cost per plot for plowing, fitting and seeding should be less than \$5.

Forrest Lavoy, conservation officer, is cooperating very closely with the district. He, with Mr. Ruch, have interested several organizations in the feeding of wildlife during the winter months. Mr. Lavoy has been instrumental in developing a fire control program for the lands in the district.

L. R. Arnold, county agricultural agent, is secretary of the district board of directors and has taken a very active part in district affairs. He was a leader in educational work which led to the establishment of the district.

One-hundred and fifty acres of district-controlled land has been subleased to four schools to be developed as school forests. Holland high school which under the leadership of Miss Lida Rogers has already developed a school forest, has leased another 40 acres. The pupils have already stabilized 10 acres of blow sand and expect to start tree planting this spring. The work of this group has attracted state-wide attention.

Explains Procedure in Obtaining Repair Parts

Grand Haven, Jan. 28 (Special) —Procedure by which farmers may obtain a permit to obtain repair parts for their farm implements was explained today by L. R. Arnold, county agricultural agent.

Mr. Arnold said the farmer must obtain approval of the permit from a war board member but they must make out their application on a printed form. An extra trip to Grand Haven will be saved the farmer if he will first write in for an application form.

Members of the war labor board include Bert Roelofs, route 3, Holland; and Roy Lowing, route 1, Jenison. Farmers can write to either of these members for their blanks. The two also will approve them and eliminate unnecessary trips to Grand Haven.

New College Freshmen Can Qualify for Class V-1

Prof. Bruce Raymond, armed services faculty advisor at Hope college, has reported he is in receipt of a U. S. navy directive from the bureau of personnel, further qualifying the acceptance of high school seniors who are eligible for enlistment in class V-1, provided they have been accepted for enrollment in an accredited college to start their freshman studies before March 16.

Miss Venhuizen Guest Of Honor at Party

A party honoring Miss Doris Jean Venhuizen who has left for Cedar Falls, Ia., for training in the Waves, was held Wednesday Jan. 20 in the home of Miss Eilyn Vander Meer on East 12th St. Bridge was the diversion of the evening. Other guests included Miss Charlotte Langeland, Mrs. Russell Langeland, Miss Sue Huribut, Mrs. Charlotte Dykema, Miss Mina Bouwman and Miss Marian De Vries.

TRY THE NEWS CLASSIFIEDS

Ex-G.H. Resident Killed in Action

Grand Haven, Jan. 28 (Special) —Word was received Thursday by Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Reed of Grand Haven that Floyd Martin, Jr., 23, former Grand Haven resident, was killed in action, Dec. 24, while serving with the U. S. army in New Guinea.

Martin, a son of Floyd Martin, Sr., of Brentwood, Mo., and Mrs. Arthur J. Jenkins of Mt. Clemens, was born in Mt. Clemens, Aug. 13, 1919, and was graduated from the Grand Haven high school in 1939. In 1941 he left Grand Haven to spend some time with his mother and was inducted into the service Sept. 17, 1941.

After entering the service he was hospitalized for some time at Ft. Custer for a spinal ailment, and in February, 1942, was sent to California and the following April arrived in Australia. He went into action in New Guinea in September.

He was active with the sea scouts and was a member of the Grand Haven Methodist church. For four years he was employed at the Grand Haven Sanitary dairy under the vocational guidance program of the local high school. Besides the parents he is survived by two sisters.

About a month ago, Martin and a neighbor boy from Grand Haven, Pvt. Charles Pellegroni, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Pellegroni, 1215 Pennoyer Ave., met each other in New Guinea.

North Blendon

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Berghorst were Mrs. Henry Lauritsma and Shirley of Hudsonville, Mr. and Mrs. Corie Dalman of Zeeland and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Blauwkamp of Harlem.

Mrs. Cyrus Mulder and Mrs. Harold Ter Haar were among guests at a shower for Mrs. Nelson C. Mulder of Chicago, a recent bride. The affair was given by Mrs. C. Postma at her home in Zeeland on Thursday evening, Jan. 14.

Many local roads are blocked with snow causing milk haulers much trouble.

On Sunday Prof. T. Welmers of Holland had charge of the services at the Reformed church on Sunday. He was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Postma.

Supper guests at the Postma home on Saturday were their son, Chester Postma, and Garold Van Engen of Holland. Mrs. Van Engen called on several friends here during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vander Molen and Mrs. C. Meeuwse and Sharon called on Mr. and Mrs. A. Vander Molen at Hudsonville on Sunday evening.

Pvt. Francis Knoper, who has been stationed at Shepherd Field, Tex., is now at Burbank, Calif. Aalt Kuipers spent the past week visiting his brother, Charles Kuipers at Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walcott and Bonnie Lou of Pearlina called on their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Knoper on Saturday.

Douglas

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Mrs. Gottfried Eckdahl is visiting relatives in Chicago.

The Rev. L. A. Nugent of Chicago is a guest of his mother, Mrs. Mary Nugent.

Mrs. Edna Bradley of Allegan has been a recent guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Coxford.

The north east unit of the Ladies Aid will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Clarence Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. William Van Dyke of Grand Rapids, visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lockhart.

Mrs. George Morgan has returned from a visit of several weeks with relatives in Evanston, Ill.

Stephen N. Millar has received a cablegram from his son, Stephen, that he has arrived safely at his destination.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Manthey of Fehville are the parents of twin babies, a boy and a girl, born in Community hospital. Mrs. Roy Stearnburg, also of Fehville, is a patient in the hospital.

Douglas Unit of the American Red Cross has received its surgical dressings. The meetings will be held each Monday through Friday at the Douglas school house from 9:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. This is the only surgical dressing room in this vicinity.

Mrs. Edward Bekken of Saugatuck and Miss Kathryn Bekken of Grand Rapids, have issued invitations to a miscellaneous shower Sunday afternoon in the Parrish house. The guest of honor is Miss Loretta Biller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Biller of Saugatuck.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Campbell have received a letter from their son, Jack. It was from New Guinea. Ben Fisch and Ev. Bekken were with him and they were well. The members of the Roundup Circle of the Ladies society of the Congregational church have made the society a gift of a new gas stove.

Mesdames H. H. Van Syckle and Kenneth Martin were in Allegan Friday and attended the graduation of the first Nurses' aid group of the American Red Cross at the Health center.

Let us dare to expect that this war storm does not mean the end of the world but rather the dawning of a new day.—Chappell.

Ethiopia has an area of about 350,000 square miles.

Serving Under the Stars and Stripes



Pvt. Bruce Dick

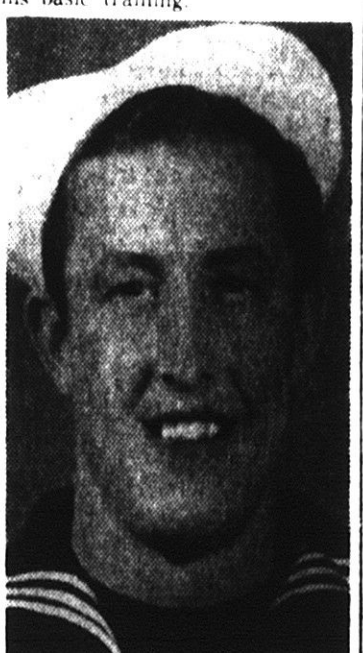
Pvt. Bruce Dick and Pvt. Leonard J. Dick, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Dick, 84 East Ninth St., are serving in the army and army aviation ground force, respectively.

Pvt. Bruce Dick was born Oct. 16, 1919 in Holland and was graduated from Holland High school in 1937. He attended Hope college for two years where he took a pre-forestry course, and received his B. F. degree from the University of Michigan in June, 1941. On March 8, 1942, he married Mrs. Gertrude Mock of Biggers, Ark., in the home of his parents. He was inducted into the army at Fort Custer on April 10, 1942 and received his basic training at Camp Wallace, Tex. He has been at Seattle, Wash., and at present is at Port Orchard, Wash.



Pvt. Leonard J. Dick

Pvt. Leonard J. Dick, was born July 5, 1923 in Holland and was graduated from Holland High school in June, 1941. At the time of his enlistment he was a sophomore at Hope college, majoring in business administration. He was a member of the high school and college football teams. He enlisted in the army aviation ground force on Dec. 11, 1942 at Kalamazoo. He first went to Fort Custer and now is at Miami Beach, Fla., for his basic training.



Marvin Aardema

Marvin Aardema, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Aardema, 185 East Fifth St., was born in Holland, June 26, 1920. He was graduated from Holland High school in 1939. On Oct. 18, 1942 he volunteered for service in the United States Marine service and is now at Sheepshead Bay, Brooklyn, N. Y. Seaman Aardema recently had a seven day leave which he spent with his family. Prior to his enlistment he was employed at the Willow Run Bomber plant.

Central Park

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Teusink entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lindholm and son, Donald, for dinner in honor of Mr. Teusink's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pippel have received a letter from their son, Pvt. Chester Pippel. The letter, dated Jan. 1, was the first received for two months. He wrote that he was ill of malaria fever in a New Guinea hospital and expected to be released soon.

The Central, Western and Eastern circle groups, consisting of the women of the park district, met Thursday afternoon.

The Central circle met at Mrs. Bouwman's home and the following were present: Mesdames R. Bouwman, S. Yntema, J. Terminga, B. Timmer, J. McFall, G. Van Lente, D. Nieuwma, A. Bremer, B. Cole, R. Van Dyke, J. Ter Vree and J. Mooney. Lunch was served by Mrs. Bouwman and Mrs. Ter Vree.

Teusink, G. Van Putten, F. Lindholm, G. De Vries and E. Teusink. Lunch was served by Mrs. Teusink.

The Western circle met at the home of Mrs. H. Hilmiink and the following were present: Mesdames J. Kuiper, J. Teusink, J. Kronmeyer, G. Nevenel, G. Heideveld, J. Vander Werf, S. Beckford, B. Baker, D. Bolhuis and H. Helmink. Mrs. Hilmiink served lunch.

Mrs. Gerrit Van Lente entertained relatives recently at her home.

Mrs. Bon Olthoff, formerly Miss Leona Teusink, arrived home Thursday afternoon after a six week visit in Wichita Falls, Tex. and New Orleans, La. For the present she is making her home with her parents at Virginia park.

Cyclist Suffers Fractured Leg

Henry Vander Bie, eight-year-old son of Jack Vander Bie, 320 West 16th St., suffered a fracture of the femur bone of his left leg when hit Friday at 4:40 p. m. at 15th St. and Harrison Ave. by an automobile driven by Frederick Van Wierer, 17, route 4, Holland.

Vander Bie was riding his bicycle north on Harrison Ave. and Van Wierer, driving the car of Mrs. Martin Van Wierer, was going east on 15th St. The boy is confined in Holland hospital which reported improvement in his condition today.

Van Wierer told police that due to the high banks of snow he could not see the bicycle and thought Vander Bie was running. When he did see the boy on the bicycle, he could not stop his car due to ice on the street.

An accident occurred Friday between cars driven by Jay Peters, 105 East Ninth St., and Lloyd Lemmen, when Peters sought to turn in his driveway, according to a report made to police.

Spars Seeking 4,000 Recruits

The Holland Coast guard station at Macatawa park is joining in a nation-wide recruiting campaign to enlist 4,000 women in the Spars, the women's reserve of the U. S. coast guard service.

Any Holland woman who desires information about this organization is asked to contact Boatwain's Mate First Class T. F. Smith at the local coast guard station or address a letter to the Officer of Naval Officer, Procurement, Board of Trade building, West Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Ill.

The Spars are a uniformed, military service with the same pay and privileges given men of the armed forces. The coast guard believes women can do the work of yeomen, storekeepers, radiomen, gunner's mates, photographer's mates, drivers, pharmacist's mates and seamen to relieve enlisted men for sea duty.

Enlistment is open to women between 20 and 36 years old. They can be native-born Americans or, if not native-born, furnish naturalization papers; married women must have no children under 18 years old, be a graduate of high school or business school or the equivalent of business courses and experience, must undergo a navy physical examination. Their enlistment is for the duration of the work and not more than six months thereafter.

Married women may enlist provided their husbands are not in the coast guard. Unmarried women must agree not to marry until they have finished their period of training. After training, they may marry a civilian or a service man who is not in the coast guard. Women desiring to enlist for officers of the Spars must be 20 to 30 years old, have a college degree or have passed two years of college work and had at least two years of acceptable business or professional experience.

All enlisted women will first have six weeks of "boot training" on a college campus during which time they will be indoctrinated into the military way of life and will receive a series of "shots" that are required by the rigid health program. When this training is completed, she will either go to active duty as a seaman or will be sent to one of the college schools for specialized training. Six months after enlisting, a woman can apply for a commission. Officers will receive special training at Smith college or at Mt. Holyoke.

Two Permits Are Listed for Week

Two applications for building permits were filed last week at the office of City Clerk Oscar Peterson for final approval by Building Inspector Henry Looman.

Total amount of the applications were \$480. The applications follow:

Peter Van Langevelde, 136 East 19th St., enlarge living room, \$180; P. J. Trimpe, contractor.

Paul McLean, 131 East 28th St., repair fire damage, \$300; Rhine Vander Meulen, contractor.

Death Claims C. Huyser In Beaverdam Residence

Zeeland, Jan. 28 (Special) —Cornelius Huyser, 85, died at his home in Beaverdam Saturday. Surviving are three sons, Dr. William C. Huyser of Kalamazoo, Clarence H. Huyser of Fennville and Malloy Huyser of Beaverdam; one daughter, Mrs. Mabel Bohl of Beaverdam; four grandchildren; two great grandchildren; one brother, Gerrit Huyser of Beaverdam; two sisters, Mrs. Maggie Ver Meulen of Holland and Mrs. James De Vries of Zeeland.

To Jail for Furnishing Beer to Minors at G.H.

Grand Haven, Jan. 28 (Special) —Dupree Smith, 21, 315 Fulton St., Grand Haven, was sentenced to serve 30 days in the county jail upon his plea of guilty to a charge of furnishing beer to minors. He was arraigned before Justice George V. Hoffer Thursday afternoon.

Complaint was made by Chief of Police Lawrence DeWitt alleging that on Jan. 16 Smith purchased three quarts of beer which were taken out to a car and consumed by Smith, a 17-year-old boy and two younger girls.

Start New Class In Flight Training

Ten Enlistees Begin Eight-Week Course at Park Township Field

Ten new enlistees began their war training service, formerly the civilian pilot training program, at Park township airport Friday, Prof. Bruce Raymond, Hope college coordinator of the program, announced today.

The training will continue for eight weeks. During this period, the men will be housed in Van Raalte hall on the college campus and will receive their meals at the Fraternal house.

The new group of students include Charles Maxfield, Petoskey; Lawrence Payne, Cloverdale; John Bellware and Carl Nelson, both of Paw Paw; Frederick Blum, Erwin Fitzsimmons, Kenneth Dorman, all of Grand Rapids; Joseph Cavello, Lansing; Clarence Leverton, Kalamazoo and Ellis Maxwell of Battle Creek.

In explaining the WTS, Dr. Raymond said the army and navy have assumed a more complete jurisdiction of this training program, formerly known as the CPT, and have changed it to war training service. It is still under the auspices of the department of commerce and that its purposes remain unchanged.

Youth Suffers Bruise When Struck by Auto

Glenn Hamstra, nine-year-old son of Mrs. Reka Hamstra, route 2, Holland, suffered a small bruise on his right knee about 8:45 a. m. Friday when he was struck by a car driven by William Nyhuis, route 1, Jenison, on the short cut road, one half mile west of the Waverly road.

The boy was treated in Holland hospital and released. Nyhuis was going west and Hamstra with two companions was enroute to school.

Robert Edward Rich Is Basic Flying Cadet

Bainbridge, Ga., Jan. 28 —Having completed pre-flight and primary training, Robert Edward Rich, son of Edward B. Rich, 25 East Seventh St., Holland, Mich., is now a basic flying cadet at the Bainbridge army air field.

Cadet Rich is a graduate of Holland high school and American Academy of Art, Chicago. He was a commercial artist before joining the air forces in August, 1941.

After completing courses here in flying, airplane and engine operations, radio code, radio communications, military law, military hygiene, and meteorology, Cadet Rich will be sent to another field for advanced training, his last before receiving the wings and bars of a flying officer.

Nearly 20 Thousand in Gas and Weight Share

Grand Haven, Jan. 28 (Special) —County Treasurer Fred Den Herder reports that the weight tax receipts for the fourth quarter of 1942 amount to \$2,484.43, and the gasoline tax collections for the second half of 1942 amount to \$17,286.71. These amounts have been received by the county treasurer and will be turned over to the county road commission.

To The Rescue!

For a year, the manufacture of telephones for civilian use has been virtually stopped by material shortages, and by the production of war communications equipment in the Bell System's Western Electric factories. As a result, thousands of people who need telephones would not have been able to get them — except for one fortunate fact.

Instead of junking all the "upright" telephones that were replaced by the cradle type, Michigan Bell kept some of them available for a possible emergency. Now these reserve telephones, all in good operating condition, are going back to work.

Service installations can be made, of course, only where there are adequate lines and central office equipment.

Buy War Savings Bonds and Stamps!

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ONE OF WAR'S
MINOR BLESSINGS

The war is not a total liability.

The Beverly Hills Junior League
in California has announced that
no more lists of the ten best
dressed men in America will be
issued for the duration. Al-
though such organizations as the
Beverly Hills Junior League is
largely made up of people who
are always urging others to sacri-
fice their all to win the war
while they themselves are having
about as good a time as usual,
yet even they have begun to see
that they must make sacrifices.
So they are starting out with the
tremendous sacrifice of dressing
more simply.

The great thought has finally
penetrated deeper than the bony
tissue of the heads of these peo-
ple that American boys are dying
all over the world, that millions
of people of color they are not
Beverly Hills people, but yet peo-
ple after a fashion) are living on
the verge of starvation. And so
the tremendous thought has come
to them that perhaps it is just a
little silly to place so much stress
on mere clothes that the ten
best dressed men must be pick-
ed.

The innate silliness of such
selections is once more shown in
the last list issued before the ban
on lists was clamped down. At
the head of the list appears Gary
Grant, the movie star. Now Gary
Grant is an actor who is usually
cast for the role of a sort of civil-
ized he-man. There may be differ-
ence of opinion as to whether
that adjective "civilized" is just-
ified or not, but let that pass. He
is supposed to be a he-man who
is far too tough and vital and
manly to worry about such
trivialities as the cut of his coat,
the set of his necktie, or the
width of his hatband. But this al-
leged he-man has during the past
year married one of the wealth-
iest girls in the world. And so he
lands at the head of the best
dressed class, wholly out of char-
acter of the role he plays.

Walter Pidgeon is another ex-
ample. In the movies he plays
the role of such men as the poor
Welsh minister in "How Green
Was My Valley." Oh no, he does
not care for money or fine rai-
ment; his mouth drips high ideal-
isms about plain living and high
thinking. But offstage he is en-
ough of a social cake-eater and
prettymen to win a high place in
the best dressed list.

Yes, the elimination of the best
dressed men list is one of the
war's minor blessings. The in-
stitution is so incongruous in a
real democracy, even in peace
time, that it can result only in
snickers from real men anywhere.
As for the best dressed list of
women, don't expect even a global
war to put an end to that.

THE CHURCH INVITES YOU

Daniel Webster once said, "If
God and his word are not known
and received, the devil and his
works will gain the ascendancy."
If the evangelical volume does
not reach every hamlet, the peo-
pers of the corrupting and licen-
tious literature will, if the power
of the gospel is not felt through-
out the land, anarchy and mis-
rule, degradation and misery, cor-
ruption and darkness will reign.

The church is the one institu-
tion that offers God's word with
its many appeals for better living.
Why not accept the invitation to
go to church next Sunday?

Treasury Department
To Aid in Filing Returns

In addition to visiting the Hol-
land post office Feb. 2-5, and
Feb. 9-10, a deputy collector of
internal revenue also will be at
the Zealand city hall Feb. 11, Byron
Center town hall, Feb. 12, and
Grand Haven federal building Feb.
16-19 to assist persons in prepar-
ing their 1942 income tax returns.
No charge will be made for any
assistance given taxpayers. Many
new taxpayers will file returns
last year are asked to bring in
their retained copies of such re-
turns to facilitate the proper pre-
paration of 1942 returns.

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Sunday School
Lesson

January 31, 1943

Jesus the Bread of Life
—John 6: 8-14, 30-33

By Henry Geertlings

It was not much that Jesus
started with. It was a mere lad's
contribution the sum of which
was easily told. But it was a
beginning and out of it our Lord
made a meal that satisfied the
hunger of thousands of people.
One wonders if any of those who
shared in the bounteous repast
our Lord provided did not begin
to ask themselves if their own
gifts which were beyond anything
the boy knew could not be used
in an even larger ministry. They
had the right to draw that con-
clusion. Whether it be little or
much that we possess it reaches
its finest and fullest fruition only
in the hands of Christ. We can
begin only with what we have
such as eyes and hands and tal-
ents and money and time, but
out of these we can weave a
story of service that could
merit a place in the finest litera-
ture of the world.

In this lesson we have two
methods of dealing with a diffi-
cult situation contrasted. The
disciples proposed that the mul-
titude be sent away, but that
suggested by the Lord was "give
ye them to eat." The same con-
trast exists alike in the world
and in the church. If a son in
the family has caused unusual
trouble, if his deeds have brought
some kind of disgrace upon the
household, the favorite expedient
is to send him away and struggle
for himself. But the wiser and
more Christian way is to keep
him at home, give more thought
and prayer and care to his treat-
ment, to draw him more closely
into the household, to let him see
more of parental love and to give
him more personal attention. His
waywardness ought to be to his
parents a reason for bringing him
nearer them, and not for sending
him away from them. The diffi-
culty is not solved by ignoring
it. That can only end in disaster.

We have here a lesson of
faith. Whenever in the history
of the church anything great or
noble was to be done, Andrew
has been there with his question,
"what are they among so many?"
It was so in the days
when Zerubbabel was building
the temple, and Nehemiah the
walls of Jerusalem. It was so in
the beginning of the gospel when
the fishermen went forth to
preach it unto all nations. It was
so when Luther started out in
his Reformation work. It was so
when Carey commenced his cru-
sade for foreign missions, a cen-
tury and a half ago. It is nat-
ural, it is common to despise the
day of small things but if these
small things are put into the
hands of Christ, and blessed by
him, he will make them great.
So let no one be discouraged be-
cause he cannot do much, or al-
low himself to be laughed out of
his efforts with the little that he
has, but let each of us do his
utmost, and, whether that be
great or small, let us put it into
the hands of Christ, for he will
multiply it for the meeting of
the emergency.

We have here also an example
of frugality. The disciples were
told to gather up the fragments
that remain that nothing be lost.
Christ did not work a miracle
and let the bread be wasted. The
fragments were more than the
original supply, for benevolence
gains more than it gives. But it
could not do that if it were not
accompanied with frugality. These
two graces—for frugality is in
its right place is a grace—
ought always to go together. We
should be frugal that we may be
able to be liberal in our benevo-
lence. There is no need of parsim-
ony, and avarice is abominable
in the sight alike of God and
man. The miser answers to the
meaning of his name, and is one
of the most wretched of human
beings. But the waster, get what
he may, never sees the time
when he can afford to give. He
who gathers up the fragments
has always something which he
can lay upon God's altar. In a
room in a bookbinder, where
the gold dust extracted from the
sweepings of the floor, amounted
to some thousands of dollars an-
nually, the saving of these en-
abled the proprietors of the
establishment, to give more to
the cause of Christ than other-
wise would have been the case.
Even from such giving as we see
in this miracle, there is a large
return. We should not give to
get that kind of return, but when
we give from the right motive,
there will be a recompense, if
we will only be careful enough
to gather it up, and when we do
so we will have more than ever
to give for the glory of God in
the welfare of our fellowmen.

FINISHES COURSE

Sheppard Field, Tex., Jan. 28
—Pvt. Bernard Poll, son of Louis
Poll of Hamilton, Mich., has
graduated from an intensive
course in aviation mechanics at
Sheppard field which is one of
the many schools in the army air
forces technical training com-
mand which trains the specialist
technicians who maintain bomb-
ers and fighter planes in per-
fect combat duty. Pvt. Poll is
now eligible to become crew chief
on a bomber and to win a rating
as corporal or sergeant.

But It's True



ANY MALE DESCENDANT
OF THE MARQUIS DE
LAFAYETTE
HAS THE RIGHT TO VOTE IN
THE UNITED STATES REGARDLESS
OF HIS CITIZENSHIP

(THIS WAS ESTABLISHED BY
CONGRESSIONAL ACTION IN 1806.)
THANKS TO THOMAS MORGAN, HUNTINGTON, L. I.

A GUINEA PIG BELONGING TO
J. E. SONNBERGER OF LINCOLN, NEBRASKA,
GAVE BIRTH TO 34 OFFSPRING
ON THE SAME DAY —
ALTHOUGH THE AVERAGE
LITTER IS SIX

WNU Service

Holland
In 1912

A new departure was made in
the high school today when a regu-
lar election was held in the high
school assembly room according
to a story in the Tuesday, Nov.
5, issue of the Holland Daily Sen-
tinel published in 1912. This
election was not merely a matter of
fun for the students but was made
a regular exercise in which the
instructors took an active interest.

Gus Bothis who has been visit-
ing his nephew, Chris Korose, left
last night for Chicago and from
there will leave for Athens,
Greece.

A surprise was sprung on the
members of the Century club last
evening when the club met in the
Woman's Literary club rooms. The
program was in charge of Mrs. C.
H. McBride, Mrs. R. N. De Merell
and Mr. H. G. Post and they had
provided for a surprise play called
"The Girl from Colorado," or
"The Conversion of Anty Sulfridge."

A farewell reception was held
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al-
len Harris on East 15th St. in honor
of his mother, Mrs. Isaac Harris,
who will leave for Denver, Colo.,
Wednesday, to spend the winter
with her son, C. C. Harris.

The literary club of the high
school held a program yesterday
afternoon in the high school as-
sembly room. The program was as
follows: piano solo, Marjorie Dyk-
ema; recitation, Marian De Boer;
recitation, Bert Van Ark; essay,
Cora Vandewater.

Holland rolled up a big vote to-
day. When the ballots have been
counted it will be found that it
was one of the biggest votes ever
cast in this city. The total vot-
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Not until late in the forenoon
was it known for a certainty that
C. H. McBride had been elected
for a second term in the Michigan
legislature from the first district
of Ottawa county.

It appears that Dr. Hofma has
won out against James L. Smith
and J. B. Hadden in the race
for state senatorship from the 23rd
district.

The fight for congressman in the
Fifth district was a close one as
had been expected. Carl Mapes,
Grand Rapids state senator won
the seat of the fifth district in
congress.

Nov. 6 (Extra) — By a vote the
complete size of which cannot be
estimated just yet Woodrow Wil-
son was elected president of the
United States.

At one o'clock Charles Pierce,
secretary of the Republican state
central committee over the tele-
phone to The Sentinel conceded
that Woodbridge S. Ferris had
carried Michigan and that the lead
of Ferris might be in the nei-
ghborhood of 30,000.

There was no surprise about the
fact that Ottawa county went
Republican and that a good sized
vote was rolled up for the Grand
Old Party in this county as far as
the county officers were concern-
ed.

The high school students were
given the opportunity of seeing
a Japanese art exhibit when K.
Washina from Cleveland, O., held
an exhibit in the Central school
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The local post system which will
be inaugurated all over the coun-
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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Neal
Sandy, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Arend Siersma en-
tertained a party of friends at
their home last night in honor of
the fifth wedding anniversary.

In line with the policy of pro-
tecting the city's shade trees as
much as possible the council last
night provided for the purchase
of a power spraying machine to be
used to spray the trees and to fight
the San Jose scale. The power
spray will cost about \$250.

S. G. Verburg, 344 Lincoln ave.,
was pleasantly surprised last even-
ing by his Sunday school schol-
ars. The surprise was in the na-
ture of commemorating his 40th
birthday anniversary.

S. S. Shackleton, former editor
of The Sentinel, departed this
morning on a deer hunting ex-
pedition at White Fish point on
the shores of Lake Superior. He
was met at Lansing by Fred Briggs
and both will hunt through special
permission on one of the private
pine lands owned by one of the
biggest lumber concerns in Michi-
gan.

The good roads work in Ottawa
county is progressing rapidly.
County Road Commissioner R.
Cook reports that the first stone
for the roads near Zealand has
arrived.

Public Schools
Will Aid Drive

Municipal Judge Raymond L.
Smith who is county chairman of
the campaign to raise funds for
the National Infantile Paralysis
foundation is in receipt of a letter
from Supt. E. E. Fell in which he
pledges the cooperation of the
Holland public schools in the cam-
paign.

"I am glad to know that you are
again heading the campaign in
Ottawa county to secure funds to
be used in the fight against in-
fantile paralysis and to help re-
habilitate men and women and
young people who are the victims
of this dreaded disease," Supt.
Fell wrote.

"One half of the money raised
in this county and all other coun-
ties of the country goes to Warm
Springs foundation, New York
city, a non-profit organization,
devoted to the eradication of in-
fantile paralysis which every year
takes a toll of many lives and
leaves many others incurably
crippled. The foundation uses
this money in many leading med-
ical schools of the country for re-
search with the purpose of find-
ing the cause of the disease and
a way of preventing it."

"The other half of the money
which remains in the county is
doing good work in helping to re-
habilitate many who are suffer-
ing from the effects of infantile
paralysis or other physical mis-
fortunes."

"It is gratifying to know the
progress that has been made in
the knowledge and control of the
disease, made possible by funds
raised annually in drives similar
to the one that you are now con-
ducting."

Local Selectees Leave
Here for Fort Custer
Twenty-three local selectees left
Monday afternoon for Fort Cus-
ter to report for duty in the U.S.
army, having passed physical ex-
aminations last Monday at Kala-
mazoo. At farewell ceremonies
held at the local selective service
board's headquarters, Harold B.
Westmoreland spoke for the local
Gideons and Peter Notter led in
prayer. Each selectee received a
Bible from the Gideons. At the bus
station, each selectee received a
box of cookies from the Salvation
army.

In the Good
Old Days

Interesting news items appear-
ing in the Oct. 28 issue of the
Ottawa County Times published in
1898 by M. G. Manting included:
Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. Kam-
meraad a few days ago, a son.

Andrew Berkompas while try-
ing to climb over the drawbars
of a train standing on the Sixth
st. crossing Saturday afternoon
had his foot torn and bruised.
Just as he had his foot on the
bars the train started and he
was caught.

C. Ver Schure, cashier of the
Holland City State bank, cele-
brated the 47th anniversary of his
birth Tuesday. He was connected
with the bank since it was estab-
lished as a private bank in 1878.

Quite a number of Ottawa
county hunters will go to the
north woods after deer this fall.
Licenses for hunting have already
been issued to Albert Beckman,
C. S. Meyers, Holland; L. J. Fel-
low, Jensen; William Hall, Blend-
on; Thomas Hughes, Hudson-
ville. William Trimble and Cass
Jones went yesterday to get li-
censes and Austin Harrington, J.
C. Bush and James Bush will also
go.

Misses Dora and Bertha Ros-
bach figured in a runaway Tues-
day forenoon on Eighth st. They
were returning from a drive and
were on the right side of the
street in front of Du Mez Bros.,
when their buggy collided with
the coal wagon of John De Boer.
The collision broke the shafts of
the buggy and the horse ran till
he slipped on the walk near Van
Tongeren's cigar store where the
animal was stopped and the
frightened occupant helped out.

Oscar B. Wilms who during the
war filled the position of second
machinist on the U.S. ship Ben-
nington arrived home Friday eve-
ning. He enlisted June 14 and
was detailed to the vessel lying
at the navy yard at San Francis-
co and served on two other ves-
sels also. On his way home he
also took in the Omaha exposi-
tion.

Albert Hekkers of this city left
Tuesday for The Netherlands. He
will take passage on the steamer
Amsterdam.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James R.
Crofoot of Jamestown—A Bryon-
Democrat. Weight 8 pounds.
Mother and son are doing well.

Rev. K. Van Goor of Ninth
Street Christian Reformed church
of this city has been called by the
Christian Reformed church on
Grandville ave., Grand Rapids.

The board of supervisors have
decided not to purchase a new
safe for the new county building
at present. The salaries of the
different county officers for the
next two years are as follows:
Treasurer, \$1,200; clerk, \$1,000;
prosecuting attorney, \$1,000;
school commissioner \$800; jan-
itor, \$500. The treasurer and clerk
having received an increase.

During the heavy blow the lat-
ter part of last week the new pier
work on the south pier at South
Haven was carried away and to-
tally destroyed. The same thing
occurred a year ago and the work
was being rebuilt this year.

Joe Van Vyven and family
have moved to Grand Haven
where he is employed in the tan-
nery.

Rev. J. D. Fry of Manistee and
Miss Clara B. Clark of this city
were married Tuesday, Oct. 25
at the home of the bride's parents
at 41 West 15th St. The cere-
mony was performed by Rev. J.
T. Bergen. The bride and groom
left that evening for their future
home at Manistee where he is
pastor of Maple Street Baptist
church.

Correspondence included: Otta-
wa Station—Friends and neigh-
bors of Edwin Watson and wife
gave them a surprise party last
Tuesday evening and presented
them with a set of dishes. The
event was in honor of their twen-
tieth wedding anniversary.

Vriesland—Last week Wednes-
day evening a number of young
people were pleasantly entertain-
ed at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Marinus Van Zoeren in honor of
John Maurits, returned soldier of
the 32nd regiment.

A number of friends from Zeel-
and, Drenthe and Vriesland spent
an enjoyable time at the home of
S. De Hoop last week Friday
evening.

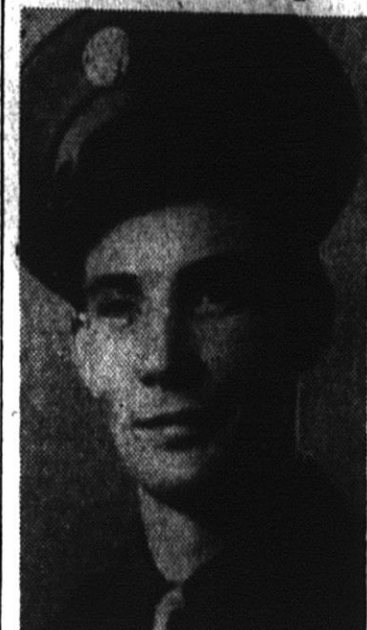
Oakland—The following is a list
of pupils who have not been
absent in school district No. 2
during the month ending Oct. 7:
John Compagner, Egbert Timmer,
Lambert Kiel, Mattie Kiel, Fanny
Ter Haar, Annie Vander Leest,
Mary Vredeveid, Jennie Vrede-
veid, Katie Tanis, Annis Tanis,
John Doezeman, Dena Ter Haar,
Mary Tanis, Jennie Ter Haar, Bes-
sie Vander Leest, John Kiel,
Winnie Farma, John J. Doezeman.

Fillmore — The Fillmore Lit-
erary society elected the follow-
ing officers Monday evening: For
president, Clair Hekhuis; vice
president, Albert Kronmeyer;
secretary, Edward Hoeland;
treasurer, William Kleinhebel.
The society meets every Monday
evening.

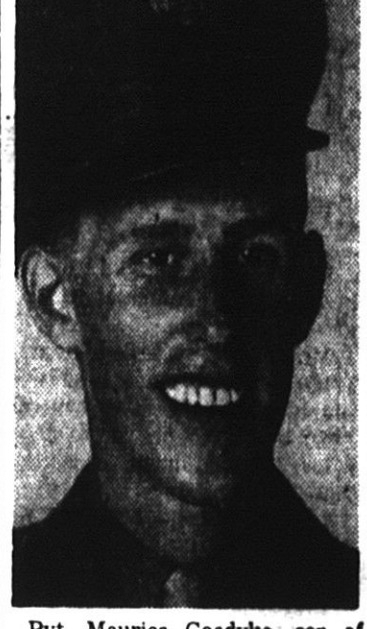
Birthdays Celebrated
By Royal Neighbors

The Royal Neighbors held a
regular meeting Thursday night
with Fannie Weller, the new or-
acle, in charge. A birthday party
was held with the birthday an-
niversaries of the following cele-
brated: Jim Crowle, Joe Dore,
Mr. Manning, Elsie Knipe, Linnie
Sly, Harriet Horn and Mildred
Norlin. Lunch was served. Prizes
for the various contests were
awarded to the winners.

Milk and its various products
comprise more than 25 per cent
of the 1,500 pounds of principal
foods consumed each year by an
average American family.

Serving Under the
Stars and Stripes

Marcell A. Rice son of Mrs. J.
Rice, Zeeland, was born in Hol-
land on March 7, 1916 and attend-
ed Holland High school for three
years. He volunteered for service
in the air corps on Sept. 1, 1942.
He was first sent to Fort Cus-
ter for 10 days and then to Jef-
ferson Barracks. From there he
went to Lambert Field where he is
now stationed. He is a welder. He
is married to Lavina Brander-
horst of Zeeland.



Pvt. Maurice Goodky, son of
Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Goodky, 355
West 18th St., was born in Bor-
culo Dec. 1, 1920. He was gradu-
ated from the Zealand Christian
school. He was drafted Sept. 29,
1942 and is stationed at Camp
Bowie, Tex. From Camp Custer he
went to Camp Hood and from there
to the camp in Texas. Before his
induction he was employed at the
Chris Craft plant in Holland.



Ensign Dirk Adrian Van Oort,
U. S. N. R., son of Mrs. Alberta
Rushel, formerly of Holland and
now of Detroit, was born in Hol-
land, Jan. 8, 1915 and received his
schooling in Holland High school,
Detroit School of Technology,
Chrysler Institute, Detroit, and at
Northwestern university, Evan-
ston, Ill. He is in the United States
naval reserve having enlisted in
1942. He was commissioned before
leaving Detroit. He was with the
navy department in Washington,
D. C. for a time. He attended
officer's training school and at
present is in service on the west
coast following service on the
Pacific. His grandfather, Jacob
Helder, lives at 16 East 17th St.

Hope Graduate Is Engaged
To New Brunswick Girl

Announcement is made of the
engagement of Miss Mildred Pat-
ricia Hoffman, daughter of the
Rev. and Mrs. Milton J. Hoffman
of New Brunswick, N.J., to Dean
Dykstra, son of the Rev. and
Mrs. John A. Dykstra of Grand
Rapids.

Miss Hoffman attended the
New Jersey College for Women,
at New Brunswick and the Berke-
ley School for Girls in East
Orange, N.J.

Mr. Dykstra, who will gradu-
ate in the spring from New
Brunswick Theological seminary,
from which school both his fa-
ther and grandfather also gradu-
ated, is well known in Holland.
He was graduated from Hope
college where he was a member
of the Fraternal society, The
Blue Key honor society, Pi Kap-
pa Delta debating society and as
college orator took first place
in the Michigan Intercollegiate
Interpretive Reading contest. He
is listed in the Who's Who
among students in American
universities and colleges.

Dr. Dykstra, president of the
board of trustees of Hope col-
lege, and Dr. Hoffman were
classmates in college.

Per capita consumption of milk
in the U.S. in 1938 was 152.8
quarts compared with 163.2
quarts in 1929 and 154.4 quarts
in 1924.

Two Contests in
Primary at G.H.

Grand Haven, Jan. 28 (Special)
—Two contests for aldermen will
form the only competition in
Grand Haven's primary Feb. 15,
petitions filed at the deadline re-
vealed Saturday.

The alignment of candidates
again gave rise to the possibility
that Grand Haven will settle all
contests by majority votes in the
primary. For several years this
city has not had a general elec-
tion because offices were filled
at the primary.

The following petitions were
filed with City Clerk J. Nyhof
Poel: For mayor—Edmond Wilds,
226 Lafayette St

Local Pioneer Resident Observes 86th Birthday

Wilson Rief, 229 West 11th St., quietly celebrated his 86th birthday anniversary in his home Monday. Born in Indiana, Jan. 25, 1857, the oldest of five children, he came to Michigan in 1858 with his family. They moved to Beaverdam, northeast of Zeeland where they lived until 1903, when they moved to Holland where Mr. Rief has since lived. In 1896 he married Kathryn Ohlman of Beaverdam and they will celebrate their 46th wedding anniversary this year.

From 1858 to 1903 while in Beaverdam, the family pioneered. During the Civil war they lived in a two room log cabin, using a rag in a dish of grease for light until they learned to mold candles. Practically the only food they had was cornmeal and water, although they did occasionally shoot deer from the doorway of their cabin. The purchase of a cow later was a welcome relief from the steady diet of cornmeal and water, which Mr. Rief averts, exasperated him so that he at times refused to eat.

When he was a boy, the family often traded with the Indians who lived all about them. They hauled their water from a well one half mile distant. They split rails for fences, and used oxen for plowing and heavy hauling, taking two days to haul potatoes to Grand Rapids. Zeeland was a mere village at the time, and the family hauled logs to the Zeeland lumber mill. He recalls when the railroad was built to Grand Rapids and also the event of the Holland fire.

Mr. Rief has been retired for the last 28 years. Mr. and Mrs. Rief are members of the Methodist church and they have one daughter, Mrs. Neal Houtman. Mr. Rief has one sister living, Mrs. George Rietink of Hamilton.

Despite his age, Mr. Rief is still active and enjoys good health. His mind is keen and alert and he follows the news of the day with interest.

Lieut. J. F. Duffy, Jr. Weds Miss Mary Fox

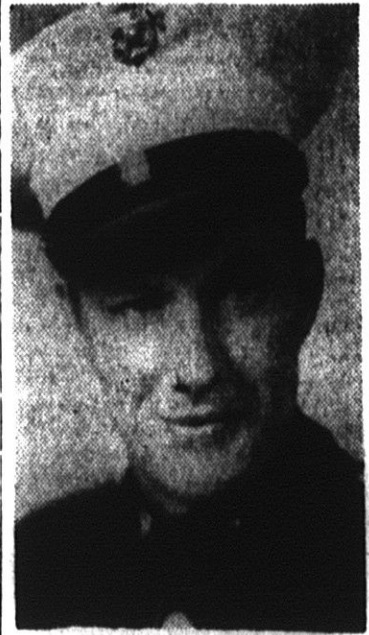
Miss Mary Fox, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Fox, of New York city, was united in marriage to Lieut. J. Frank Duffy, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Duffy, 65 West 12th St., in a ceremony performed at 10 o'clock mass Saturday in the Catholic chapel of Grenier Field, Manchester, N.H. Miss Eileen Fox, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and Lieut. John Dorger served as best man. The bride is a graduate of Holy Child academy and attended Barnard college. Lieut. Duffy is a graduate of Campion and Georgetown university, and was with the Michigan Bomber Co. before entering the army. He is stationed at Grenier Field.

Alvin Lubbers Guest Of Honor at Dinner

A farewell dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mannes, 277 Columbia Ave., Sunday night in honor of Alvin Lubbers who left for military service Monday. Gifts were presented from the group.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lubbers, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boeve and children Joyce and Audrey, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lubbers and son Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lubbers and children Beverly and Bobbie, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Mannes and children Kenneth, Lee, and Pearl, Mrs. Lambert Lubbers, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Inderbitzen, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mannes and children Bonnie and Charrie, Miss Rose Lubbers and Alvin Lubbers, Pfc. Lambert Lubbers, a brother of the honored guest, was unable to be present as he is with the U.S. army in Texas.

Local Men in the Armed Forces



Pvt. Luke Gerald Kuna

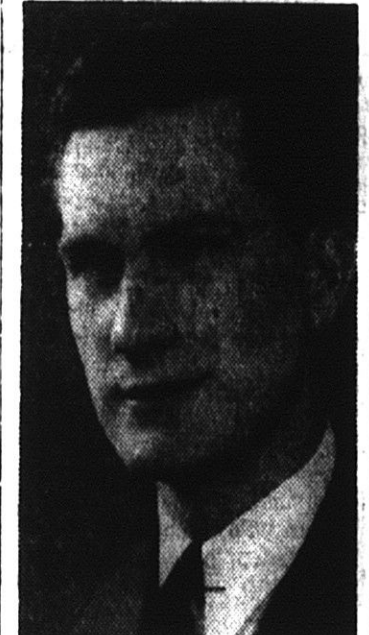
Pvt. Luke Gerald Kuna and Pfc. Ted Kuna are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kuna, 227 Pine Ave. They were both born in Holland, the former, Feb. 3, 1921, and the latter, Oct. 6, 1916. Pfc. Luke was graduated from Holland High school and Pfc. Ted attended Holland high.

Pvt. Luke Kuna volunteered in the marine corps on July 20, 1942 and was in San Diego, Cal., and is now in San Francisco. Before enlisting he worked for the Vyn Co.



Pfc. Ted Kuna

Pfc. Ted Kuna was drafted Jan. 26, 1942 and is in the medical corps. He has been stationed in Colorado, Arkansas and Illinois. The last word received by his family was that he is in Africa. He was an inspector at the John Deere plant in Lansing before entering service.



Pvt. Sidney Peters

Pvt. Sidney Peters, 23, son of Mrs. Sarah Peters, 231 Washington Blvd., was drafted and left for Camp Custer, Nov. 19, 1942. He was graduated from the McLean High school in 1937. He was employed as clerk at Vandenberg Furniture store in Grand Rapids before leaving for service. He was born in Jamestown, Jan. 21, 1919. At present he is in the signal corps at Fort Benning, Ga.

Farewell Party Given For John Lappinga

A farewell party was held Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nienhuis in honor of John Lappinga, who left Monday noon for the armed forces. A social evening was enjoyed and during the evening a telephone call was made to Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Harold Nienhuis, who are at Camp Polk, La. A gift was presented to the honored guest and a luncheon was served. The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kraai and children of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Van Timmerman of Allendale, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brinks of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. Harm Nienhuis and daughter, Evelyn, of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. John Lappinga and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Nienhuis and children.

Illness Is Fatal To Holland Man

Albert A. Van Raalte, 76, 225 West Ninth St., died Sunday at 11 a.m. in his home following a two years' illness of complications.

He was born Sept. 29, 1866, in Chicago to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Van Raalte. He worked for the city street department for 22 years until ill health forced his retirement.

Mr. Van Raalte was a member of the Methodist church.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Mary Van Raalte, two daughters, Mrs. William Lindsay of Holland and Miss Marie Van Raalte, at home; three sons, Carl of Lansing, John of Holland and Olie Paul Van Raalte of Brighton, Mich.; nine grandchildren, three sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Vander Myde of Chicago, Mrs. Nancy Cameron of Plano, Ill., and Mrs. Mary Looman of Plano, Ill., two brothers, Cornelius of Chicago and John Van Raalte of Manawa, Wis.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. from Dykstra's funeral chapel, with the Rev. William G. Flowerday officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery.

The body will be removed from Dykstra's funeral home to the family residence this afternoon, when it will lie in state Tuesday from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 9 p.m.

Personals

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Orien S. Cross of Montello Park has gone to Kansas City, Mo., to visit his brother, P. W. Cross.

Pvt. Clarence R. Shashaguy has returned to Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., after spending a seven-day furlough visiting his brother and sister, Chester Shashaguy and Mrs. Florence Smith and other relatives in Muskegon and Holland.

Vernon G. Rotman, seaman second class in the naval reserve, is home on a week's leave visiting his mother and sister-in-law, Mrs. Minnie Rotman and Mrs. Marvin Rotman, 382 West 20th St. He is stationed at Gulf port, Miss.

Walter Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parker, 307 West 12th St., has been accepted in the U.S. air corps of the naval reserve. He is training at the Municipal airport, New Philadelphia, O. He left Holland on Jan. 14 for Detroit and has been in Ohio since Jan. 15.

Dr. Earl Faber reported for duty Monday at Great Lakes base hospital in Chicago. He was graduated in June from the Loyola college of dental surgery and enlisted in the U.S. navy in May. He received his call two weeks ago.

Miss Evelyn Heffron, kindergarten teacher at Longfellow school has announced that children who will be five years old on or before March 31 and who will be entering kindergarten at the school next Monday morning, may visit school any day this week, preferably in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hop, 35 East 15th St., had as their weekend guests, Mrs. Hop's sisters, Mrs. Theron J. Rose and Miss Cornelia Bolles of Grand Rapids.

Pvt. and Mrs. Lambert Van Dis have returned to Camp Blanding, Fla., after spending a 14-day furlough with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Van Dis of East Saugatuck and Mr. and Mrs. Arie Van Slooten of West 16th St.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Kragt of route 5, Holland, announce the birth of a daughter, Sandra Kay, Saturday in Lampen's Maternity home.

Lieut. Hazel Ver Hey, third officer, Waac, is spending a 10-day furlough at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Ver Hey. She received her commission Saturday at Fort Des Moines, Ia.

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Pvt. Clarence Dokter, Jr., is spending a week's furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dokter, Sr. He is stationed at Goodfellow field, Tex. Raymond Zietlow, 326 East Sixth St., received a letter this week from his brother, Sgt. George H. Zietlow, stating that he is in a New Guinea hospital suffering of malaria fever.

Harold Karsten, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Karsten, 210 West 11th St., is spending a few days in Chicago visiting his grandmother and aunt, previous to entering college next semester.

Fireman, first class, Raymond James Kleis of the U.S. navy arrived from the east coast Thursday on a 10-day furlough to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kleis, in Zeeland.

Mannes Albers whose wife died Wednesday in a hospital at Des Moines, Ia., where they lived, is a brother of George Albers and

Mrs. Marius Mulder, both of Holland, and not George Mulder as reported in Thursday's Sentinel.

Staff Sgt. Robert D. Walters arrived in Holland Thursday from Kirtland Field, Albuquerque, New Mexico, to spend a 15-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walters, 218 East 16th St. He is in glider training in the army air corps, having enlisted in the CPT last July.

Miss Marjorie Smeenge, 12, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Smeenge, accidentally wounded in her left foot by the accidental discharge of a rifle last Monday night at her home, has been removed from Holland hospital to the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Nell Molenaar, 190 West 16th St.

Two Brothers Enlist For Service in Army

Grand Haven, Jan. 28.—Two brothers, the Rev. William A. Zoerner of Grand Haven, and Dr. Lawrence Zoerner, Grand Rapids dentist, oldest and youngest of five sons of Mrs. William Zoerner of Crook township, have enlisted in the U.S. army.

Dr. Zoerner will go to Great Lakes, Ill., for preliminary training. He was graduated from South High school and University of Michigan.

Rev. Zoerner returned from the mission field in India in June, 1941, and was unable to return to duty on account of war conditions. He has been attending University of Chicago for the last year. He was graduated from Grand Haven High school, Hope college, Princeton seminary and holds a master's degree from that institution.

Both have received lieutenant's commissions. Rev. Zoerner will go to Harvard university.

The family lived many years in Grand Rapids after having moved there from Grand Haven.

Kenneth Looman Given Two Farewell Parties

Kenneth Looman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Looman, was honored at two farewell parties recently. On Sunday afternoon relatives gathered at the home of his parents. A gift was presented and a two-course lunch was served. Kenneth left for army service Monday.

Guests were the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schamper, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schamper, Mr. and Mrs. William Herdes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Raak and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Vandenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Riemersma, Clarissa Looman, Lorena Looman and Ida Laarman.

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Looman entertained in honor of their son. Gifts were presented and games were played during the evening. Pictures were taken and a two-course lunch was served including a decorated cake with "Good Luck and Speedy Return" written across the cake.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Looman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Looman, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Volkema and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Looman and Larry Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Riemersma, Lorena Looman, Clarissa Looman and Ida Laarman.

Harold Ramaker Feted At Farewell Party

A farewell gathering was held at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Ramaker, 33 Cherry St., in honor of her son, Harold, who left for Fort Custer Monday noon to be inducted into the army. The evening was spent socially and the guest of honor was presented with a gift. A luncheon was served by Mrs. George Ramaker and Mrs. Henry Ramaker.

Guests included John Ramaker, Mr. and Mrs. William Waring and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bell, Mr. and Mrs. George Ramaker, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ramaker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Ramaker, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ramaker and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forsten and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hessel Turkstra, Mrs. Ramaker, Albert, Winnie and Gladys Ramaker, Sylvia Turkstra and the guest of honor.

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Luella Bosma Celebrates Birthday Anniversary

Luella Mae Bosma was guest of honor Saturday afternoon in celebration of her eighth birthday anniversary at a party given by her mother, Mrs. Bill Bosma, in their home on route 4. A two-course lunch was served and Luella received many gifts. Games were played with prizes going to Marilyn Schripema, Jimmy Elhart, Betty Lou Luteran and Shirley Oosterbaan.

Others present were Joyce Prince, Lois Scheepel, Joyce Bell, Betty Bosma, Ruth Bosma, Wayne and Cherril Elgersma, Wanda Lee Bosma.

Memorial Services Are Planned for War Victim

A memorial service for Sgt. George Bruursema, known in Holland to his friends as "Blackie," will be held in the Immanuel church Sunday, Feb. 7, at 7:30 p.m. instead of Sunday Jan. 31, as previously announced. Sgt. Bruursema was killed in action Dec. 6 in the southwest Pacific area.

He had been engaged for the past three years to Miss Juliana Schaap, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Schaap, route 3.

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Persons interested in joining this organization are asked to contact Comdr. Kenneth Campbell before Thursday night. To join the coast guard auxiliary, an applicant must own a boat but in the temporary reserve this requirement is not necessary.

Any man from 18 to 55 years old is eligible to join the temporary reserve. At a joint meeting of the coast guard auxiliary and temporary reserve this week in the city hall, it was decided to adopt the temporary reserve's training program. This consists of 12 weekly lessons. The first lesson will be given Thursday night.

Practically all members of the coast guard auxiliary are joining the coast guard temporary reserve. The difference between the two is that the coast guard auxiliary is a civilian organization while the temporary reserve is a military organization with military status and rights. In case of an emergency when it would be necessary to take all or part of the coast guardsmen from the Holland station, the coast guard temporary reserve would be ordered to fill in.

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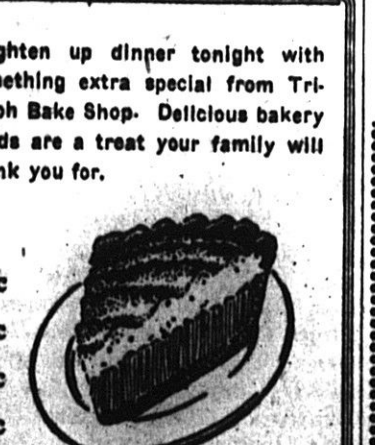
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Southwest Loop Race Is Thrown Into 4-Way Tie

Dutch One of Quartet, But Shows Weakness In Loss to Harborites

The race for basketball laurels in the Southwestern conference was thrown into a four-way tie Friday night when Holland lost to Benton Harbor here, 40-31; Kalamazoo Central defeated Muskegon, 35-28; and Muskegon Heights edged out Grand Haven, 25-19.

Muskegon and Holland were tied for the lead until Friday's games further tightened the campaign. Muskegon, Muskegon Heights, Holland and Kalamazoo are now even with three victories and two defeats apiece.

But Holland will have to display better ball than was shown Friday night if it expects to remain a threat in the conference struggle. The Macmen handled the ball sloppily, their shooting was off and their footwork left much to be desired.

The Harborites got off to a fast start, chalking up an early 13-2 lead, and were never headed, although the Dutch staged a faint rally in the last period that put them within 9 points of the winners.

The Harbor club started the scoring with a foul shot by Center Bob Crossman, followed by a "long" by Ellsworth. A bucket by Crossman, Schramm and Benton Harbor had a 5-0 lead with three minutes playing time elapsed. Earl Borr was the first to score for the Dutch, his lone tally coming on a charity toss. Chuck Ploegama followed suit from the circle, and the Dutch had all the points they were to collect in the first period.

Lloyd Heneveld came through with a couple of well-timed field goals in the opening minutes of the second period, but the power of the Harbor club was too great, and they scored twice for every shot made by the Macmen. The halftime score gave Benton Harbor a 21-11 lead.

Holland came to within nine points of the invaders during the third frame, but consistent shooting, and most of it very accurate, kept Benton Harbor well in the lead. The third period score was 30-17.

The last period rally was short lived. Holland managed to bring the score to within 9 points again, but that seemed to be the limit, and the final score gave the Harborites a well earned victory.

Benton Harbor played smoothly, both on defensive and offensive. Their shots were accurate, their passing and footwork was smooth, and their defense was tight. Ploegama, Borr and Heneveld scored most of the Dutch points, getting 13, 7, and 7 respectively. Leach and Armstrong each had 9 points for the winners.

Benton Harbor	FG	FP	TP
Klum, f	2	2	6
Schramm, f	8	0	6
Crossman, c	3	1	7
Leach, g	3	3	9
Armstrong, g	4	1	9
Persons, f	1	1	3

Holland	FG	FP	TP
Borr, f	2	3	7
Krikke, f	1	1	3
Ploegama, c	5	3	13
Scholten, g	0	1	1
Heneveld, g	3	1	7

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Jamestown

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Relatives here received notice of the death of Mrs. Alice Koster at her home in Ellsworth. John Koster, husband of Mrs. Koster, died a few years ago. He was a brother of Mrs. Bert Hall and Miss Jennie Koster of Jamestown.

John Baker is confined in St. Mary's hospital for a few days for treatment.

Mrs. Peter Van Noord, who spent a week with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Harold De Jonge and son in Ann Arbor, has returned to her home here taking with her her little grandson, David De Jonge.

Mrs. Lewis De Kleine entertained a group of women at her home Friday afternoon in honor of Mrs. William Reus who plans to move to Grand Rapids soon. Mrs. Rufus Van Noord assisted Mrs. De Kleine with the refreshments.

Pfc. Lawrence Lanting, a former resident here called on friends Saturday. He is in military training at Chanute field, Ill.

Mrs. William Reus and little son of Waupun, Wis., returned to their home last Thursday after visiting here with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. Van Westenburg.

Mrs. H. A. Bowman visited with Mrs. L. Zagers Thursday afternoon.

The local P. T. A. will meet at the school house Thursday evening. The meeting will be in charge of a program committee from the south road and refreshments will be in charge of a committee of the north road.

SEEK SPECIALISTS

Federal agencies need economists, statisticians and transportation specialists, Dick Klein, local secretary for the U. S. civil service commission, said today. Information may be obtained from Mr. Klein at Holland post office.

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Pvt. Eimer Talsma, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Talsma, 166 Fairbanks Ave., was born Oct. 27, 1920 and attended Holland High. He was drafted Sept. 8, 1942 and is in the army in the infantry at Camp Butler, N. C. Before going to North Carolina he was at Camp Grant, Ill. and Camp Robinson, Ark., where he received his basic training. Before his induction he was employed as truck driver for Heidema Brothers.



Edward Genzink, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Genzink, is in the army air corps at Randolph Field, Tex. He also has been stationed at Fort Custer and Jefferson Barracks, Mo. He was drafted Jan. 6, 1942. Before leaving for service he was employed at Precision Parts.



Corp. William O. Keson, 451 College Ave., son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Keson of Ludington, was inducted into the army on June 27, 1942. From Fort Custer he was sent to Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark., for basic training, and attended Camp Robinson's school in army administration. He was assigned to headquarters of the 22nd Med. Tug. Regt., Camp Robinson, on Sept. 16. He was promoted to the grade of corporal the first of October. Before his induction he was employed in the offices of Western Machine Tool Works.

Saugatuck

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Effie C. Brittain in Washington, D. C. The body is being sent to Saugatuck for burial.

Miss Marion Morse will go to Blodgett hospital Wednesday where she will undergo an operation. She will be gone three weeks.

Mrs. Maurice Herbert is employed at the Fafnir Co. in Holland.

Mrs. Alvin Heintzelman has returned from Fort Knox, Ky., for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Marion Bolden.

Mrs. Hilton Force has closed her home and is staying for two weeks at Hotel Maplewood before leaving for a month's visit with relatives in Rockford and Elgin, Ill.

William Annesley is home from his season's work on the lakes. The Joseph Woodall family has moved into the Heath Crowe home.

Virginia Koning Is Leader of CE Meeting

The Junior Christian Endeavor society of Fourth church met Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. with Virginia Koning leader. A short song service was held with Donna Speet at the piano. Special music was a duet by Barbara Van Ingen and Ablyenne De Roos with Donna Speet accompanying. Evelyn Vander Bie will lead the meeting next week, using the theme of Christian Endeavor as her topic as it is the first day of Christian Endeavor week. The Junior C. E. Rally will be held in Third Reformed church on Feb. 7.

Boy Is Injured When Hit by Car

Snow Bank Obscures View of Autoist; Other Mishaps Occur Here

Kenneth Horn, six-year-old son of Raymond Horn, 182 East 16th St., is confined in Holland hospital with a fractured femur of his left leg which he suffered Saturday about 5:35 p.m. when he was struck by an automobile in front of his home.

Driver of the car, according to a police report, was Ray Van Voorst, 26, 253 East 14th St., who was driving east on 16th St. The accident occurred when the boy ran across the street from the driveway at his home.

Police were informed that due to the high bank of snow, Van Voorst did not see the boy in time to avoid hitting him. Called to the scene of the accident, police removed the injured Horn to the hospital in the police ambulance.

Horn is the second youth to suffer a broken leg in such an accident. Henry Vander Bie, eight-year-old son of Jack Vander Bie, suffered a broken left leg Friday at 15th St. and Harrison Ave. when while riding a bicycle he was hit by a car driven by Frederick Van Wieren, 17, route 4, Holland.

A car driven by Nelcy Peterson, route 5, Holland, is reported to have struck Fred Van Lente, 66, 62 West 19th St., at 16th St. and River Ave. Sunday at 9:15 p.m. Peterson told police the pedestrian got up and walked away without giving his name and stating he did not need help. A son of Mr. Van Lente later called police to identify the pedestrian and to report his father suffered a bruised leg.

Hugs S. Rowell, 116 West 19th St., reported to police that his car dented the fender of another car in a minor mishap at 10th St. and Central Ave. Saturday.

Cars driven by Mrs. Alvin Bouman, 255 West 15th St., and Abe Van Horn, Washington Ave., were involved in an accident on Washington Ave. between 26th and 27th Sts. Saturday. Mrs. Bouman claimed that as she was passing the Van Horn car he turned into her car.

An accident occurred Saturday at Eighth St. and College Ave. between cars driven by A. G. Sall, 120 West 10th St., and Charles F. Pardue, 102 West Seventh St. Police were informed that Pardue's car slid into the Sall car.

Personals

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

Pvt. Gerald H. Rutgers is spending a 14-day furlough at the home of his father and brother in Hamilton. He is stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla. He is also visiting Miss Julia Prins of East Saugatuck.

George Menken, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Menken, 479 Central Ave., has completed his course at the Fort Benning radio school and has returned to Camp Butler, N. C.

Rev. E. W. Koeppe, recently returned missionary from China, will be guest speaker at the Young Peoples group of the Hope church School of Christian Living Sunday. His topic will be "War-torn China."

Stanley L. Loyer of the U. S. C. G. visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Loyer in Dearborn after an absence in service for eight months. He was promoted from second class gunnarsmate to first class and has been transferred to Biddle Pool, Maine, U. S. C. G. station to instruct recruits how to handle and care for small arms.

The following motorists have paid fines and costs to Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith for traffic violations: Norman Peterson, 13 West 18th St., overnight parking, \$1; Norman Kole, 18, Hudsonville, failure to yield right of way, \$5; Earl Steketee, 625 Washington Ave., illegal parking, \$1; Anthony Preston, 27, Douglas, no operator's license, \$5.

A daughter was born in Holland hospital Friday night to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur De Fouw, 176 East 18th St.

Gerrit Visser, 19, 12 East 18th St., was released from Holland hospital this morning after being admitted about midnight following an injury at the Holland Hitch company. The right first metatarsal bone was fractured when a wheel fell on his foot.

(From Monday's Sentinel)

The following motorists have paid fines and costs to Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith on traffic violation charges: Anthony Preston, 27, of Douglas, no operator's license, \$5; Leslie G. Hall, 27, Zeeland, speeding, \$10.

A son was born Sunday at Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Ira A. Antles, 173 West 28th St.

Twins were born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Don Schippa of Grand Rapids, in St. Mary's hospital. They have been named Nelva Jean and Katherine Ann. Mrs. Schippa was formerly Miss Julia Elhart of Holland.

Pvt. John Dreyer, who has been making his home with Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Kampen on West Ninth St., left for Fort Custer last Thursday for induction into the army. His wife and son will continue to make their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Van Kampen.

Jim De-Koster, 236 East 10th St., submitted to a major operation in Holland hospital Wednesday morning.

Relatives and friends of Staff

Sgt. Willard H. (Bud) Kraker son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kraker, 54 West 14th St., were somewhat surprised to see him in a newsreel at the Holland theatre last week. The newsreel was of Clark Gable, movie star, receiving his army commission at Tyndall Field, Panama City, Fla., where Kraker is stationed as post inspector.

Fire Chief Andrew Klomparsen who has been ill for the past week is recovering satisfactorily at his home, 135 East 14th St.

Corp. Harold E. Douma of Camp Robinson, Ark., returned to his station today after spending a week's furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Douma, 369 West 19th St.

The Men's League of Bethel church will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

At 7:30 p.m. Tuesday the Women's League for Service of Fourth church will hold its regular meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. L. De Vries of Vriesland were guests at the home of J. Nyboer and family Sunday.

John Ligtoet, who is employed in Grand Rapids, spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ligtoet and family of West 19th St.

Miss Lois Van Landegend, who was confined to Holland hospital following a major operation, was released last week Thursday.

Allendale

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Aviation Cadet David Hovingh of Cimarron Field, Oklahoma City, Okla., spent a 16-day furlough at the home of his parents in Pearl Line. Previous to coming here he had been confined to a hospital for five days due to illness. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hovingh. Mr. Hovingh enlisted April 6, 1942, as a reserve and was called to duty Aug. 13. He is nearing completion of his primary flight training and expects to receive his wings next June. While home on furlough he had the pleasure of spending some time with a cousin, Robert Konyndyk, seaman second class, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Konyndyk of Bauer, who is stationed at the Great Lakes Training station and who is home on a nine-day furlough. He enlisted on his 17th birthday last Nov. 19. He now has finished his basic training and will enter service school as shipfitter when he returns.

A party was given in honor of the young men last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Konyndyk. Invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. Hovingh, Mr. and Mrs. John Koning, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Venema, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hovingh, Mr. and Mrs. David Mohr, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Abe Mohr, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Grooters and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Constant, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huizenga, Mr. and Mrs. Corne Mohr, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mohr, Mr. and Mrs. David Mohr, Jr., and family, John Mohr and the honored guests.

Funeral services were held Friday at 2 p.m. in the Allendale Christian Reformed church for Herman Brower, 71, who died suddenly Tuesday evening at his home in Pearl Line. The Rev. M. Bell officiated at the service. Mrs. F. Wolbrink sang two selections. Burial was in the Allendale cemetery. Mr. Brower had been ill for a few months but apparently was improving. Survivors besides the widow, Gertrude, are five sons and two daughters, Peter of Georgetown township, Gerrit of Allendale, Edward, Harris and Benjamin of Grand Rapids and Gladys at home. 17 grandchildren; one son-in-law, Herman Walters of Bozette, two brothers, Gerrit, of Allendale and Peter of Zeeland, and two sisters, Miss Mary Brower and Mrs. B. Wiersma of Zeeland.

The annual mid-winter revival meetings began in the Allendale Wesleyan Methodist church last Sunday and will continue through Sunday Feb. 7. The Rev. John H. Cook of Coonhook, O., has been secured as evangelist and Raymond Lewis of Van Wert, O., as song leader. Services are scheduled daily except Monday at 7:45 p.m. The Rev. C. D. Friess is pastor of the Allendale church.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thayer were recent visitors of the Konyndy family.

Henry Leisman, Mr. and Mrs. William Leisman and Arthur Leisman of Grand Rapids attended the funeral of H. Brower last Friday.

Gerrit Alderink is confined to his home with illness, John Hovingh assisting with the chores.

Post Nuptial Shower Given for Mrs. Beck

Mrs. Irvin Woltman and Mrs. Harold Weststrate entertained Saturday night with a post nuptial shower in the former's home, 121 West 19th St., in honor of Mrs. Melvin Beck, who before her recent marriage was Miss Ruth Boone. Games were played and prizes awarded to Mrs. Joseph De Gileo and Miss Alma Kramer. Gifts were presented to Mrs. Beck.

A social hour followed.

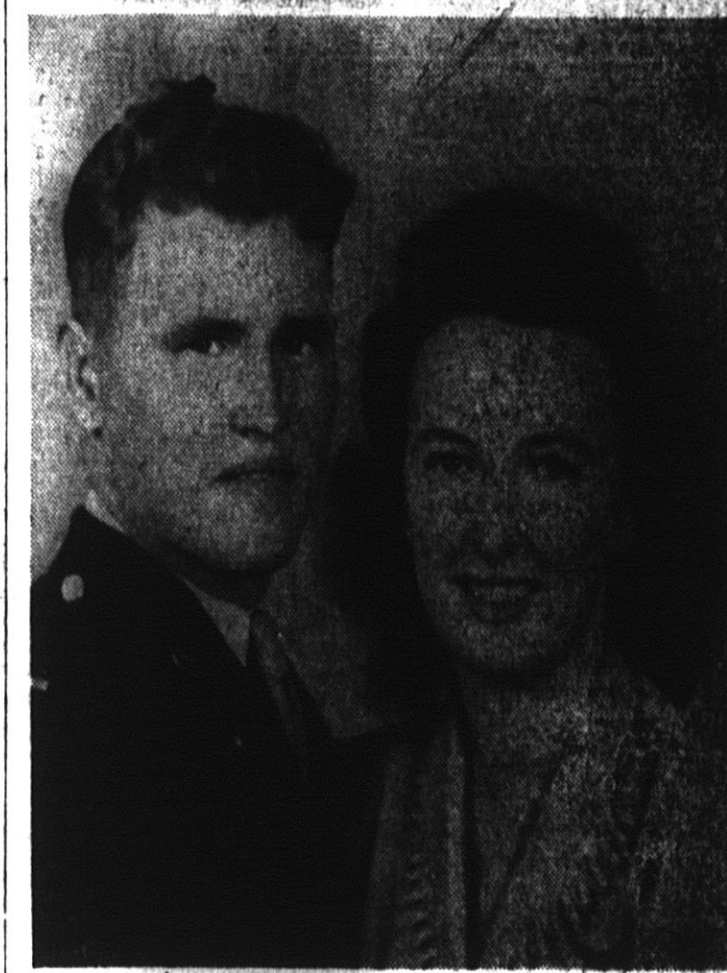
Guests were Mesdames Herbert Harrington, G. G. Visschers, Joseph De Gileo, Les Slikkers, Martin Krikke, and the Misses Alma Kramer, Ruth Hoover, Ann Chalmers, Edith Boven, Jane Boyce, Carol Erickson, Joyce Mills and the guest of honor.

Burglars Obtain Cash From Cafe in Zeeland

Holland police received a report Sunday that Heinie's cafe in Zeeland had been broken into Saturday night or early Sunday morning. Entrance was gained through a rear window. The report said between \$40 and \$50 in new half-dollars were stolen.

More than 60 per cent of Wisconsin's land area is in farms.

Holland Man and Bride Now in West



Lieut. and Mrs. Irving M. Swenson, who were married last July 11 in Los Angeles, Calif., were recent visitors in Holland at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Swenson, 134 East 18th St. Mrs. Swenson is the former Margaret Wall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Wall of Detroit. They are living at 6719 Sepulveda, Van Nuys, Calif., where Lieut. Swenson is stationed with the U.S. air corps. He was recently commissioned a second lieutenant.

Ganges News

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

The annual meeting of the Lew- school association will be held at Grange hall Saturday Jan. 30. A pot luck dinner will be served at 1 p.m.

The Rev. Joseph Tuma has been in Ann Arbor several days the past week attending the State Institute of the International Denominational.

Mrs. Elmer Knowlton has gone to Holland where she has employment for a few weeks.

Lieut. and Mrs. Arnold Green arrived from Fort Chaffee, Ark., Sunday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Green and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Starring.

A pot-luck supper and social time will be held at Ganges Methodist church Friday evening Jan. 29. A silver offering will be taken. Mrs. Russell Knox and Mrs. William Broadway are sponsoring the affair.

The W. S. C. S. meeting was postponed from Tuesday owing to the storm and will be a pot-luck dinner at the home of Mrs. W. H. Haide Tuesday, Jan. 26.

A farewell party was held at the Grange hall Friday night honoring Roy Fisher and his two daughters, Lena and Katherine, who will move the first week in February to South Lyons, where they will reside. Mr. Fisher has employment on the Blood farm.

Word was received last week of the death of Mrs. George Fletcher, 76, which occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Scott, in Victor, Ida, where burial took place. Mrs. Fletcher was born in Casco township. The former Nina Jerne was a resident of Ganges for many years. Survivors are the husband and the daughter, also their grandchildren and a son, Orlo Fletcher, of Ganges.

Mrs. Ami Miller was hostess for the Home club women at her home here Friday afternoon. Mrs. E. T. Brunson had charge of the program on "Fashions in Textiles" after which luncheon was served and a social time enjoyed.

Word has been received here by friends of the death of Andrew Cummings of La Crosse, Wis., a former resident, and brother of the late Mrs. Charles Bowls.

Calvin Plummer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Plummer, will graduate from the Great Lakes Naval Training station, Great Lakes, Ill., Jan. 25 and expects to return to his home here for a nine-day leave.

Robert Cunningham arrived here from Camp Tyson, Tenn., for a nine-day furlough with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Simonds, entertained at a six o'clock dinner party Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allen, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hamlin.

Miss Agda Anderson is spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. Preston Hogan camp. On Thursday Mrs. Harry Kiernan entertained a few friends in her honor.

Ganges Grange held its regular meeting Friday night with about 80 present. Eighteen candidates were initiated into the order after which refreshments were served and dancing was enjoyed.

Mrs. S. Benson has been spending the week in Grand Haven with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Toull and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ami Miller will be hosts for the bridge club Saturday evening.

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Koning in the Muskegon hospital recently. The Koninges were former residents here.

W. H. Haile went to Camp Crowder, Mo., Saturday to drive his son's car home. Lieut. Howard Haile has been transferred to another camp.

Mrs. L. A. Bartholomew visited her mother, Mrs. John Kinzie, in Benton Harbor last week.

Corp. Clayton Fisher, son of Roy Fisher, is now stationed at Camp Crowder, Mo., and is instructor in electrical engineering work.

Mrs. Louie Plummer has returned home from Chicago, where she spent three weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Flores.

Promote Three Police Officers

Ald. Bruce Raymond, chairman of common council's public safety committee which supervises the operations of the police and fire departments, has announced that the committee has decided, after making a lengthy study of the situation, to reorganize the police department.

In the past, the only officers of the department have been the chief and night captain. The committee has created two sergeant positions in order that someone with authority will be in charge during the absence of the chief or captain, Raymond said.

The two new sergeants are Officers Rance Overbeek and Jerry Vanderbeek who have been serving as desk men for some time. Raymond also reported that Officer Ernest Bear who has been a plainclothesman has been promoted to detective sergeant.

Dethmers Would Retain Office as GOP Chairman

John R. Dethmers, local attorney and chairman of the Republican state central committee, has verified a Lansing story that he would allow his name to go before the state convention in Detroit Feb. 19 and let the delegates decide about his reelection for another term as state chairman.

"The conditions now existing, particularly as relating to reorganization of the finance committee and the launching of a new unified finance drive, together with urgings of Republican leaders have induced me to reach this decision," his statement said.

Dethmers had said earlier that, unless the central committee solved some of its financial problems, he would retire.

Dethmers was elected state chairman a year ago. He is a former Ottawa county prosecutor.

Receives Officer Rating In Home Guard Company

Sgt. C. Schutt, who has just been promoted to second lieutenant in the local company of the Michigan state troops, will leave Saturday for Camp Skokie valley, Glendale, Ill., for ten days of special training.

Written examinations will be held Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in Holland armory for corporals and first class privates who are seeking promotions.

Richard Vander Yacht of Beechwood is conducting a course in first aid each Monday at 8:30 p.m. in the armory.

Three more members of the company were recently inducted into the army. They are Harold Ten Harmel, Henry J. Wolff and Henry Velcamp.

Mrs. Marie Slosarik Dies at Home in Agnew

Grand Haven, Jan. 28 (Special)—Mrs. Marie Slosarik, 63, died at her home in Agnew at 6 a.m. Monday after an illness of several years.

She was born in Czechoslovakia Aug. 18, 1870, and had been a resident of this vicinity for 23 years, having moved to Agnew from Kenosha, Wis. She was a member of the Lutheran church at Agnew and also of the Czechoslovak Farmers' club.

Survivors are the husband, John Slosarik; two daughters, Mrs. Julia Rebar of Grand Haven and Miss Mildred at home; two sons, John and Joseph Slosarik of Agnew and five grandchildren.

REPORTS ACCIDENT

Bert Breuker reported to police Monday that as he was driving north on River Ave. and stopping at Scot-Lugers Lumber Co. his car was struck from the rear by a car driven by Andrew Witteveen.

Century Club Program Features One-Act Play

Members of Century club and their guests, meeting Monday night in the Woman's Literary club for the annual guest night program, were highly entertained by a group from the Civic players who presented the old-fashioned melodrama, "Curse You, Jack Dalton," under the direction of Mrs. Ernest Penna.

The players, who displayed considerable histrionic ability, were earnest in their purpose of presenting the play in the spirit of the period for which it was written. The cast was complete, with hero, heroine, villain and villainess taking prominent parts, in true melodramatic fashion.

In the cast were Miss Beatrice Geerlings as the villainous Anna 'Alvarado'; Mrs. William C. Bar-ense as Mrs. Dalton, the mother; Miss Phyllis Heyboer taking the part of Bertha, the maid, the real heroine of the piece; Adrian Moes as Egbert Van Horn, the villain; Tom Schripka in the role of the hero, Jack Dalton; Charles Knothuisen, as Jackson, the butler; and Mrs. John Van Eerden as the daughter, Eloise. The cast was introduced by Mrs. Penna.

Preceding the play instrumental music was presented by a trio of Holland high school girls, including Miss Margaret Hartman, violinist; Miss Glendora Loew, pianist; and Miss Eleanor Reed, pianist. Mrs. J. D. French presided and welcomed the guests.

A social hour in the tea room of the club house was arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Randall Bosch, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hinga, Prof. and Mrs. E. P. McLean, Dr. E. D. Dimmett and Mrs. S. C. Nettinga.

Next meeting of the club will be Feb. 8 in the Warm Friend tavern, with Robert Kazmayer, noted lecturer, as speaker.

Shashagay-Bekken Vows Exchanged

Mr. and Mrs. John Bekken, 315 West 13th St., announce the marriage of their daughter, Beatrice Margaret, to Sgt. Bernard R. Shashagay, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Shashagay of St. Joseph, which took place in the First Methodist church in El Paso, Texas at 4 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 16. The Rev. C. Raymond Gray officiated.

Preceding the double ring ceremony Jack Griffin sang Schubert's "Ave Maria," and the bridal party assembled as the church organist played the Lohengrin wedding march. She also played "I Love You Truly" and "At Dawning," during the ceremony.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. George Krekling were the attendants.

The bride's gown of white net over taffeta was a copy

Ottawa Officer Is Held by Japs

Washington, D. C., Jan. 28 — First Lieut. Howard Hammond Irish, Jr., son of Howard H. Irish, route 2, Coopersville, was included today in a list of nine Michigan men who are held as prisoners of war by the Japanese in the Philippine Islands and Formosa.

Irish is held in the Philippines. The list carried the names of 327 officers and 129 enlisted men of the army and three officers of the army nurse corps, a total of 459.

Michigan men interned at Camp Taiwan, Formosa:

Staff Sgt. Charles R. Feavayer, Saginaw.

Michigan men interned in the Philippine Islands in addition to Irish:

Second Lieut. James J. Dey, Pontiac; Second Lieut. Samuel H. Dillard, III, Detroit; First Lieut. Beverly Ramsey Gibbon, Camden; Second Lieut. Earl W. Hill, Stambaugh; First Lieut. Walter E. O'Brien, Jr., Lansing; First Lieut. William P. Oliver, Jr., Detroit; Sgt. Robert E. Sullivan, Calumet.

Central Park

Mrs. Richard Bouwman and Mrs. Albert Bremer were the hostesses at the Ladies Aid society, Thursday afternoon at the Central Park church.

Mrs. George St. John has returned to her home after a two week stay at her daughter's home where she was convalescing.

Mrs. H. Van Velden wrote to a friend that she is enjoying good health and warm weather at her Florida home.

An important PTA meeting will be held at the Lakeview school, Friday evening. Dick Neuma has charge of the following program: community singing; two guitar duets by Eddie Neuma and Paul Van Dord; vocal duet by Joyce Bouwman and Joyce Van Lente accompanied by Mrs. Richard Bouwman; and a musical trio consisting of Roland Van Dyke and the Vander Lune sisters.

Mrs. Herman Nickel, her infant son, and her daughter, Catherine, have returned to their home after spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Evans at White Cloud.

Albert Timmer is convalescing at his home. He was released from Holland hospital Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. De Pree and Miss Grace Tunesnik are spending the winter in their home in Hollywood, Fla.

Miss Carleen Stroop, a student nurse at Butterworth hospital, Grand Rapids, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Stroop.

Herman Teninga, who is stationed at Great Lake, Ill., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Teninga.

Warren St. John, in the army air corps, San Francisco, Calif., is confined to Letterman General hospital where he was operated on for an injured knee.

Ellsworth Dykstra of the Western Theological seminary will be the guest preacher at Central Park church Sunday. Mr. Dykstra is the instructor of the Wednesday evening catechism class for young people.

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Wednesday afternoon. Rebekah lodge will meet with Mrs. Harry Newnam Wednesday afternoon.

Rebekah lodge will meet in the lodge hall Wednesday night. This will be the first meeting with the new officers in charge.

Mrs. Newman is helping at the Alvin Reed home while Mr. and Mrs. Reed are ill.

Miss June Deike came from Chicago Friday night to spend the week-end with her family and to celebrate her birthday.

While returning from the Red Cross meeting last Thursday, Mrs. Jeanette Curtis fell on the ice at her doorstep and broke her ankle.

Miss Fitzsimmons spent the week-end at her home in Benton Harbor.

At the annual meeting of the Saugatuck Congregational church Wednesday night, the following officers were elected: Trustee, Lloyd Waugh and W. C. Hiatt; deacons, Leroy Jarvis and Herman Waltman; treasurer, Lemuel R. Brady; clerk, Mrs. Harry C. Underhill; organist, Miss Cornelia Koning; assistant organist, Mrs. Horace Maycroft; chorister, Mrs. William J. Clough; assistant choristers, Mrs. Fred J. Walz and Mrs. Horace Maycroft; mission committee, Mrs. Cora Kenyon and Mrs. Herman Waltman; ushers, Parker Sands, James Miller, Robert White, Abbott G. Davis, Fredrick Rasmussen and Maurice Van Os; church school superintendent, Mrs. Horace Maycroft; auditor, Mrs. Harry Jackson; resolutions committee, Mrs. Archibald McDonald; nominating committee, Mrs. Lemuel R. Brady and Mrs. Herbert Miller.

Regular monthly business meeting of the American Legion auxiliary will be held at p.m. to night.

Word has been received of the sudden death of Otis O. Hauke, former owner and publisher of the Saugatuck Commercial-Record, in Richmond, Va., Jan. 14.

In the report of the sale of war bonds and stamps by retailers for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1942, Saugatuck-Douglas sold \$64,090 worth.

Word has been received that Paul Newnam has been promoted to sergeant and Richard Newnam has been promoted to master sergeant.

The program at the Woman's club Friday afternoon was in charge of Mrs. L. R. Brady, local chairman of the Red Cross. She presented several county speakers who told of the work of the Red Cross in Allegheny county.

Miss Ruth Newnam has completed her semester of practice teaching at Holland Junior high school.

Egbert Hoeve Services Arranged for Saturday

Hamilton, Jan. 28 (Special) — Funeral services for Egbert Hoeve, 70, of Oakland, who died Tuesday at 8 p.m., will be held Saturday at 1:30 p.m. in the Oakland Christian Reformed church with the Rev. J. Kolkman officiating. Burial will be in Bethel cemetery. The body will remain at Ten Brink funeral home until 11 a.m. Saturday when it will be removed to the church until the funeral hour. Relatives are requested to meet at the church at 1 p.m.

Surviving are four brothers, John J. of Hamilton, Gerrit and Peter of Forest Grove, Henry of Oakland; three sisters, Mrs. John Boerson of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Janet Snoelink of Diamond Springs, Mrs. Clara Faber of Holland; and several nephews and nieces.

Trio Will Face Court On Friday for Thefts

Grand Haven, Jan. 28 (Special) — Harold L. Post, 18, Glenn Zuverink, 15, and Erwin Johnson, 15, all of Zeeland, were arraigned before Justice George V. Hoffer Wednesday afternoon on a charge of breaking and entering. Each waived examination and was bound over to the present term to appear Friday. Unable to furnish \$300 bond, the trio was confined in the county jail.

Post, who has been employed at a chicken hatchery in Zeeland, was specifically charged with entering the Ver Hage mill in Zeeland Jan. 11, 1943, in which he was unable to find any money. The other two boys were specifically charged with breaking into the Super market in Zeeland Dec. 3, 1942, and taking about \$200. Zuverink has been employed at a dairy in Zeeland and Johnson is a student in the eighth grade.

Soldier of Near Holland Is Wounded in Africa

Pfc. Carleton L. Avery

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Elferdink Is Back From War Zone

Second Lieut. Arthur J. Elferdink of the U. S. marines was to arrive in Holland today as part of a 30-day furlough.

Lieut. Elferdink who has been stationed on an undisclosed island in the South Pacific, informed his parents by telegram Sunday of his plans to visit them.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Elferdink of Central park, have been residing temporarily in Pontiac where Mr. Elferdink is employed. Lieut. Elferdink arrived in Pontiac Sunday following his arrival on the Pacific coast Jan. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Elferdink and another son, Hal, who is attending school in Pontiac, arrived in Holland this week and will return to Pontiac Sunday where they will again be joined by Lieut. Elferdink in a few days.

Lieut. Elferdink, who is a range-finder in the anti-aircraft division, has been in the South Pacific since Jan. 5, 1942, but as yet has seen no action. He recently was given a 15-day furlough and when he reached San Diego he received a 15-day extension. He received his commission immediately before leaving the South Pacific, and upon completion of his furlough he has orders to report again for active duty. He does not know where he will be sent.

Personal

(From today's Sentinel)

Miss Mae Slikkers and Miss Virginia Bartz left Tuesday for San Bruno, Calif., where they will spend three or four weeks visiting the former's brother, Pfc. Gerald Slikkers, who is stationed at Camp Tanforan, San Bruno, Calif.

The annual congregational meeting will be held in Hope church parlors at 7:45 p.m. to night.

Wilfred Nienhuis, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Nienhuis, 165 East 26th St., was expected home today from Akron, O., where he has been employed at the Goodyear Aircraft Corp., for a brief visit before leaving tomorrow afternoon to report for duty with the U.S. army air corps at Columbus, O. He enlisted last October and has been awaiting his call. He was graduated from Holland high school in 1940.

Corp. John Lepo left Tuesday for Camp Butler, N.C., where he is stationed, after spending 10 days with his wife and daughter, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lepo.

Sgt. John Prins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Prins, who is stationed in England and who has been ill for the past six weeks with pneumonia, is recovering according to word received here yesterday.

J. S. Van Volkenburgh and Simon Klein of Holland and Gerrit Zaagman of Grand Haven are in Lansing attending a three-day session of supervisors.

Mrs. J. G. Van Zoeren is visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nienhuis and family.

There will be a public hymn singing in Fourth church Sunday night, Jan. 31, sponsored by the Women's League for Service.

John Swierenga, talented musician, will be the leader. Special musical numbers will be given, among them selections on the harp by Miss Betty Fuller, Hope college student.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Wenzel and daughter, have moved from West 18th St. to 364 West 20th St.

The subject for prayer meeting tonight at Bethel church at 8 p.m. will be, "A Needed Course of Study."

Rev. Henry Van Dyke will continue to explain the Book of Colossians tonight at the regular prayer meeting at 7:30 o'clock in Fourth church.

A son was born Wednesday afternoon at Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Preston Hopkins, 452 Harrison Ave. Mr. Hopkins is in the U.S. Army and is stationed in Texas.

Miss Marjorie Brouwer and George Lumsden were also present at the farewell party given Tuesday in honor of Gerard Earl Cook.

Fred Volkema, son of John Volkema, 76 East 15th St., left for training in the army air force Wednesday morning, after enlisting last October. He will be stationed at Miami, Fla.

Delos Brand, seaman first class, was to leave today to return to the Naval Reserve base at New Orleans after spending a 14-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brand of Holland. He enlisted in 1941 and took his basic

training at Great Lakes, Ill. He was graduated from Holland high school in 1940.

The Royal Neighbors will hold a regular business meeting tonight at 8 p.m. preceded by a meeting of the managers and special auditors who will audit the books at 7 p.m. in the Royal Neighbor hall.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Tony Nieuwenhuis, Jan. 24, in the maternity home of Mrs. Heyboer, McKinley St., Zeeland. Mrs. Nieuwenhuis is the former Theresia Meyers. She will be at the home of her parents after Jan. 30.

Pvt. Floyd Martin has returned to Camp Crowder, Mo., after spending a 13-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Martin. He was called home by the illness of his father.

William Coons, student at Western Theological seminary, will be guest preacher at Sixth Reformed church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Schaap of Cornelia, Ga., announce the birth of a daughter, Myrna Kathryn, on Jan. 13, at Stephens Memorial hospital, Toccoa, Ga. Mr. Schaap is the son of Mrs. Jacob O. Schaap, 743 State St., and Mrs. Schaap is the former Muriel De Witt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. De Witt of Holland.

Alma Plakke, who has finished her boat training in the Waves at Cedar Falls, Ia., plans to leave Friday for Atlanta, Ga., where she will further her training. She has been home on a 10-day leave visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Plakke of route 4.

Staff Sgt. Casmier L. Zych and Mrs. Zych, are spending a few days in Holland. He is stationed in the Congress hotel, Chicago. Sgt. Zych is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Zych, 54 West First St., and his wife is the former Marjorie Plakke and is employed in a defense plant in Chicago. Sgt. Zych also has three brothers in the service, Pfc. Frank Zych and Corp. Edward, serving overseas, and Pfc. Henry Zych at Camp Beauregard, La.

Harold Witteveen, 21, route 4, Holland, has paid a fine and costs of \$3 to Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith on a charge of running a stop street.

Holland firemen were called to 22 East Ninth St. Wednesday night to extinguish a small fire in an upstairs apartment, the fire resulting from an oil stove.

The Rev. Henry Bast, professor of bible at Hope college, will conduct the prayer services to night at 7:30 p.m. at Trinity Reformed church.

Leland H. Lamb of Muskegon and Mrs. Mary E. Rutlin of Flint were married this forenoon by Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith at his office in the city hall.

Fennville

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. H.B. McCann received word Thursday of the birth that morning at Harper hospital, Detroit, of a daughter to their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Shunk, of Bloomfield Hills. Mr. Shunk, superintendent of Bloomfield Hills schools, was granted leave of absence last summer, and since October has been an instructor at the University of Arizona, at Tucson. At present he is taking some extra work in Chicago, which enabled him to pay a brief visit to the new daughter. He was obliged to go right back to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Daleiden entertained a company of 20 relatives and friends at a dinner Saturday evening, honoring the marriage a week previous of his brother, Walter Everett Daleiden to Miss Wilma Cockcock. Both young people are Pullman residents.

Max Foster who went recently to work at Selfridge field spent Saturday and Sunday here on business. His sister, Miss Elaine Foster, accompanied him to Detroit Sunday night. She returned here Wednesday, but will go to Detroit and start work Monday at the General Motors Corp. where she found employment. She will live with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Zackary Foster, who is also employed at General Motors. Zackary is in the Navy, and his work is at Grosse Ile, permitting him only one day at home each week. Miss Louise Rasmussen accompanied Elaine on the trip, but she was not so fortunate in her search for employment.

Tony Tuhaet is again caring for his right arm, which has been broken twice this fall. The first break occurred when he fell from a tree when going up to dislodge a squirrel he had shot. The second break was caused by a fall on ice. Both breaks were in the same place.

Lloyd Kizer who ended his sailing season early in December went later to Chicago to engage in coast guard duty until the spring sailing opened. He became ill there and returned home. He will now remain here for the rest of the winter.

Miss Betsy Bryan has been honored for the second time by having one of her poems selected from 17,000 others to appear in "The Spirit of America." Miss Bryan presented a copy of last year's book to the Fennville Woman's club.

Mrs. Varnard Gay of Jackson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cornell Ducas, over the week-end.

The Past Matrons and Patrons dinner to have been held tonight has been postponed, date to be announced. Mrs. Charles Green, chairman, will be serving on the jury next week. Other members of the committee are Roy and Lena Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Repp and Mrs. Ned Bale. This will be the annual election. Members are urged to be present.

Mrs. D. W. Wadsworth entertained her bridge foursome Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Severens have returned from Urbana, Ill., where they have been visiting in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. James Severens. They recently received a cablegram from their son Richard, stationed in New Guinea, which told of his well being, as did one received by the Fossicks from their son Charles, also in New Guinea.

S. J. Beagle has been in Chicago this week, visiting his daughters, the Misses Florence and Lorraine, the latter taking a course in child nursing care. Word has recently been received from Howard Beagle that he has been promoted to First Lieutenant. He is stationed somewhere in Britain.

Another promotion of interest here is that of Robert Platte, formerly of Fennville, from captain to major. Robert was promoted last June to captain. He is in the army anti-aircraft training center at Camp Davis, N. C. His brother, Sgt. Ralph Platte, has been appointed one of 12 men at Shaw Field, S. C. army air training center to comprise a guard of honor for Gen. Arnold.

In spite of the weather, the W. S. C. S. had an attendance of 23 members and guests Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mabel Sanford. The covers intended for machinery at the canning company during idle times had been nearly completed and were turned in at this meeting. Each month some different money-making project is being carried on this year instead of giving dinners or having baked goods sales. For January, each member paid one cent for each inch of her waist measure. Amount netted Thursday was about \$8. Not all members were present, so it is presumed that more money will come in. They were previously warned not to pinch their measurements for health's sake; and if there was any doubt, tape measures checked out. The hostesses, Mesdames Sanford, Climie and King, served delicious refreshments. The next meeting will be Feb. 4 at the home of Mrs. Pearl Schnoor and Mrs. Lloyd Phillips.

(From Friday's Sentinel)

The three Fennville and three Ganges couples who entertain each other once around each year plan to meet tonight with Mr. and Mrs. Clare Schultz. This has been a custom for a number of years, starting before any of them were married.

Mrs. Charles Tendick returned from Community hospital Saturday evening to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Hutchinson. Mrs. Esther Morehead, who has cared for her brother-in-law, Charles Tendick, at Blodgett hospital since his entrance there two weeks ago Sunday, returned Saturday to resume her duties the same evening as night nurse at Community hospital. No word has been had from Mr. Tendick since she came home, but is presumed he is doing well, and they hope to bring him here Saturday. Both will stay with their son-in-law and daughter for a time.

Mrs. Bessie Leland and Mrs. Florine Billings left Tuesday night for Gainesville, Fla., where they will visit the latter's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Billings, until Mr. Billings goes into the navy, probably the middle of February. Their plans are not fully settled after that, but they plan to spend the rest of the winter in Florida.

Mesdames Lillian Bale and Glenn Richards and Miss Carol Walter have issued invitations for ten tables at bridge-luncheon to be held Saturday at Hospitality house.

Fennville friends have received the announcement by Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ellis of Altadena, Calif., of the engagement of their daughter, Edith, to Robert Leland Hutchinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hutchinson, of Fennville, Michigan. Pfc. Hutchinson was recently inducted into the army, and sent to Camp McCoy, Wis., since which he has been sent to Camp Grant, Miss. Ellis visited for several weeks this fall in the Hutchinson home. Both young people are graduates of Principia college, at Elsan, Ill.

Mrs. E. H. Hawley will be hostess next Monday afternoon, to the southeast division of the ladies' society of Douglas Congregational church.

The Fennville W.S.C.S. was entertained Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Arthur Sanford, with Mrs. A. B. Climie and Mrs. Charles King assisting. Mrs. Carl Walter, listed as her assistant, wrote that it would be impossible for her to serve now. They had been appointed for a later date, but the plan was changed to accommodate Mrs. Carl Hogmire who is in the hospital at Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Billings were Sunday dinner guests of his sister, Miss Bertha Billings in Grand Rapids. They were accompanied home by the Misses Queen and Inez Billings, the former having visited in Grand Rapids the past two weeks, and with the latter en route home from Hastings where she had been engaged in nursing care of a patient. Mrs. Billings also had been in Grand Rapids the past week, making the acquaintance of two new grandsons, one born Dec. 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Billings, and the latest arrival, James Burr Billings, born Jan. 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Billings. (An amusing story is told by the grandmother of the reply made by 4-year-old Bobby. When told he had a little brother, he said



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